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NOTES

Rounding of Figures—Many of the figures appearing in the tables have been rounded (to thousands or, in some cases, millions), without making those adjustments which would be needed to make the rounded figures add to the rounded total. It is for this reason that figures do not always add to the totals shown in the tables.

Population and Vital Statistics—Estimates of the population of Australia (and of States and Territories) are prepared quarterly by the Commonwealth Statistician, Canberra. The estimated population in each State or Territory represents the population ascertained at the 1966 Census plus recorded natural increase and recorded net gain from overseas migration for that State or Territory; gains and corresponding losses that result from movements between States and Territories are also taken into account in so far as they are recorded as transfers of State of residence under child endowment procedures or Commonwealth electoral procedures supplemented by results of any special count or sample survey. Holiday, business or other similar short-term movements between States and Territories are omitted. As records of migration by State or Territory are not complete, the estimated State and Territory populations so derived are approximate and are subject to revision when the actual population of each State is ascertained at the 1971 Census. Rates of birth, death, marriage and natural increase which are based on these populations are similarly subject to revision.

Before an amendment to the Australian Constitution in 1967, it was provided by section 127 that "in reckoning the numbers of the people of the Commonwealth, or of a State or other part of the Commonwealth, aboriginal natives shall not be counted". This provision was deleted by the Constitution Alteration (Aboriginals) Act of 1967, which came into operation on 10 August 1967.

The population estimates appearing in Table 1 refer to total population, *i.e.*, including Aborigines. Vital statistics, which until 31 December 1966 excluded births, deaths and marriages of full-blood Aborigines, now include events among the total population.

Population Census, 30 June 1966—Tables 62-67 contain some final results of tabulations of 1966 Census information. Particulars of full-blood Aborigines are excluded from the figures shown. For Census purposes, a full-blood Aboriginal is defined as a person who describes himself as having more than one-half aboriginal blood.

External Trade—From 1 July 1965, when a new Australian Customs Tariff was introduced, imports have been classified according to an Australian Import Commodity Classification based on the *United Nations Standard International Trade Classification, Revised*. From 1 July 1966, an Australian Export Commodity Classification, also based on the Standard International Trade Classification, was adopted in the tabulation of export information.

The Standard International Trade Classification follows closely the "Brussels" tariff nomenclature used in the new Australian Customs Tariff. The Standard International Trade Classification consists of 10 broad commodity categories designated "Sections" and comprising 56 commodity "Divisions" which are further divided into 177 commodity "Groups". The structure of the classification serves to provide a summary of data relating to 1,312 basic items of international trade. The Sections, Divisions and Groups, and the relevant reference numbers, are shown in Table 24. The first digit of the reference number denotes the Section; the first two digits, the Division; and three digits, the Group. In some cases, the descriptions of commodity Divisions and Groups are abbreviations of the full text, which is available in the Australian Import Commodity Classification and the Australian Export Commodity Classification issued by the Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics, Canberra.

Finance Companies—The summary of the principal statistics of the lending operations of corporate Finance Companies, shown in Tables 55-58, covers the operations of companies engaged mainly in providing certain credit facilities to the general public (companies and persons). Banks, insurance companies, etc., and companies providing credit to "related companies" are excluded.

The outstanding balance for a particular period cannot be verified by the addition of the amount financed to the previous month's outstanding balance, less collections and other liquidations for the period under review, owing to the amount financed being a "net figure", *i.e.*, it excludes interest, insurance and hiring charges.

Additional information on this subject is available in the mimeographed publications *Finance Companies* issued monthly and annually by the Commonwealth Statistician, Canberra.

The abbreviation "n.e.i.", where it occurs in the tables, denotes "not elsewhere included".

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Population

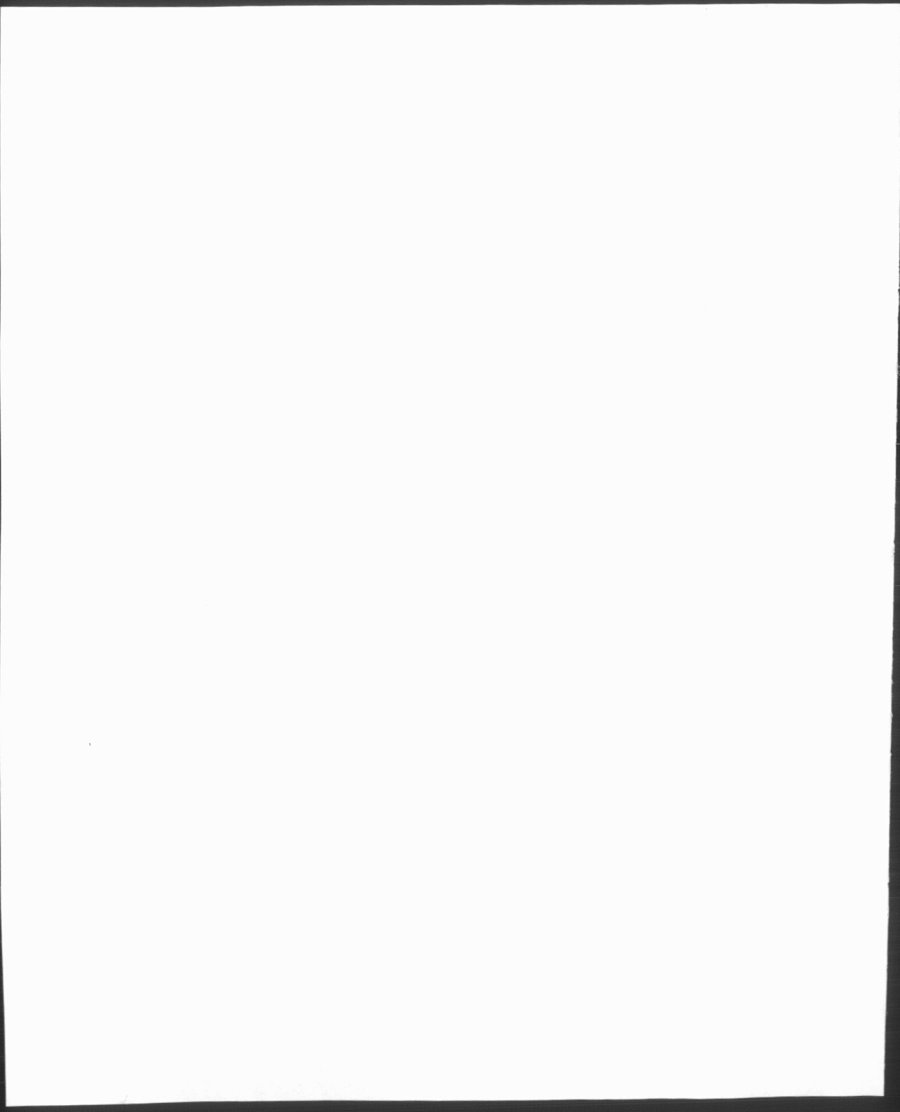
Belmont,	reads	20,393	should read	20,285
Canning,	"	17,701	"	"
Kalamunda,	"	7,524	"	"
				7,452

Intercensal Increase or Decrease

	<u>Numerical</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Belmont,	reads 6,585	reads 32.29
	should read 6,693	should read 32.99
Canning,	reads 5,903	reads 33.35
	should read 5,723	should read 32.01
Kalamunda,	reads 2,261	reads 30.05
	should read 2,333	should read 31.31

Dwellings

Belmont,	reads	5,357	should read	5,330
Canning,	"	4,634	"	"
Kalamunda,	"	2,275	"	"
				2,257



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STATISTICS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

I—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

NOTE—Estimates of population and rates of birth, death, marriage and natural increase for dates and periods subsequent to the Census of 30 June 1966 are subject to revision after the 1971 Census. See also note *Population and Vital Statistics* on page 2.

A line drawn across a column between the figures, as in Tables 2 and 3, indicates a break in continuity in the series.

No. 1—Population (a)

Period	Estimated Population of the State						Estimated Population of Perth Statistical Division at	
	At End of Period			At 30 June	Mean for Year Ended:		30 June	31 Dec.
	Males	Females	Persons		30 June	31 Dec.		
Year—								
1963	407,024	391,871	798,895	788,344	777,413	788,457	509,200	517,800
1964	417,023	401,098	818,121	808,443	798,824	808,300	525,800	534,000
1965	427,330	410,918	838,248	825,525	817,157	826,481	*540,700	550,900
1966	439,680	423,005	862,685	(b)848,100	837,290	848,837	(b)559,298	569,500
1967	454,743	438,020	892,763	876,362	862,130	876,997	579,500	591,000
Quarter—								
1967—								
March	443,578	426,736	870,314	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
June	446,709	429,653	876,362	876,362	862,130	n.a.	579,500	n.a.
September	450,297	433,338	883,635	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
December	454,743	438,020	892,763	n.a.	n.a.	876,997	n.a.	591,000

n.a. denotes "not applicable".

(a) Includes Aborigines.

(b) Census figure.

* Revised.

No. 2—Population : Elements of Increase

Period	Natural Increase (a)(b)			Estimated Net Migration (a)(c)			Estimated Total Increase (d)		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Year—									
1963	5,425	5,889	11,314	5,583	4,485	10,068	11,133	10,514	21,647
1964	4,832	5,424	10,256	5,044	3,661	8,705	9,999	9,227	19,226
1965	4,565	5,347	9,912	5,637	4,326	9,963	10,307	9,820	20,127
1966	4,879	5,356	10,235	7,383	6,663	14,046	12,350	12,087	24,437
1967	5,366	5,878	11,244	9,697	9,137	18,834	15,063	15,015	30,078
Quarter—									
1967—									
March	1,359	1,599	2,958	2,539	2,132	4,671	3,898	3,731	7,629
June	1,407	1,418	2,825	1,724	1,499	3,223	3,131	2,917	6,048
September	1,247	1,416	2,663	2,341	2,269	4,610	3,588	3,685	7,273
December	1,353	1,445	2,798	3,093	3,237	6,330	4,446	4,682	9,128

(a) Figures for years prior to 1967 exclude particulars of full-blood Aborigines ; from 1 January 1967, Aborigines are included. (b) Excess of births registered over deaths registered. (c) See note *Population and Vital Statistics* on page 2. (d) Includes Aborigines.

No. 3—Births, Deaths and Marriages (a)

Period	Births Registered			Deaths Registered			Marriages Registered	Annual Rates per 1,000 of Mean Population				Infant Mortality Rate per 1,000 Live Births
	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total		Births	Deaths	Marriages	Natural Increase (b)	
Year—												
1963	8,869	8,421	17,290	3,444	2,532	5,976	5,755	22·23	7·68	7·40	14·55	20·4
1964	8,570	8,115	16,685	3,738	2,691	6,429	6,023	20·93	8·06	7·55	12·86	19·7
1965	8,280	7,906	16,186	3,715	2,559	6,274	6,448	19·85	7·70	7·91	12·16	21·7
1966	8,800	8,207	17,007	3,921	2,851	6,772	7,001	20·31	8·09	8·36	12·22	19·3
1967	9,322	8,701	18,023	3,956	2,823	6,779	7,430	20·55	7·73	8·47	12·82	17·4
Quarter—												
1967—												
March	2,302	2,243	4,545	943	644	1,587	1,981	20·98	7·33	9·14	13·65	14·7
June	2,323	2,116	4,444	921	698	1,619	1,827	20·35	7·42	8·37	12·94	19·8
September	2,355	2,232	4,587	1,108	816	1,924	1,573	20·85	8·75	7·15	12·10	21·1
December	2,337	2,110	4,447	984	665	1,649	2,049	20·03	7·43	9·23	12·60	13·7

(a) Figures for years prior to 1967 exclude particulars of full-blood Aborigines ; from 1 January 1967, Aborigines are included. (b) Excess of births registered over deaths registered.

II—FINANCE

No. 4—Consolidated Revenue Fund : Summary of Revenue (\$'000)

Period		Collected by the State								From Com- mon- wealth Funds	Total Revenue
		Taxa- tion	Land, Timber and Mining	Public Utilities			Depart- mental	Other	Total		
				Rail- ways	Water Supplies (a)	Other					
1962-63	14,762	3,501	33,817	9,224	518	18,134	1,378	81,334	75,847	157,182
1963-64	17,604	3,751	34,929	9,968	480	20,948	1,222	88,901	78,988	167,888
1964-65	19,512	4,107	36,381	2,906	491	26,712	1,468	91,578	88,565	180,143
1965-66	22,574	4,598	41,864	3,308	511	28,753	1,589	103,196	103,459	206,655
1966-67	27,536	7,655	48,194	4,073	520	31,461	1,959	121,398	106,748	228,146
1967-68—											
September Quarter		7,551	2,989	12,536	1,129	107	4,143	480	28,934	27,486	56,420
December Quarter		8,387	2,981	10,375	857	146	10,239	522	33,508	28,050	61,557
March Quarter		9,419	3,368	14,728	1,555	148	5,055	505	34,778	28,282	63,059

(a) Figures for periods subsequent to 1 July 1964 exclude particulars of the Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage, and Drainage Board, which replaced the former Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage Department with effect from that date.

No. 5—Consolidated Revenue Fund : Summary of Expenditure (\$'000)

Period	Public Debt		Public Utilities			Departmental				Other	Total Expend- iture
	Interest	Sinking Funds	Rail- ways	Water Supplies (a)	Other	Educa- tion	Health (b)	Works and Build- ings	Total		
1962-63	24,551	5,429	34,068	7,333	866	22,850	16,073	4,205	80,177	6,263	158,687
1963-64	25,925	5,847	35,340	8,036	872	25,880	18,705	4,991	88,014	6,648	170,681
1964-65	28,223	6,446	36,965	5,441	954	29,133	21,160	5,359	99,694	7,117	184,840
1965-66	31,023	6,903	40,300	5,852	955	34,016	23,086	6,196	*113,971	7,663	206,665
1966-67	34,217	7,445	45,397	6,779	1,006	36,746	26,429	7,252	*124,686	8,643	228,174
1967-68—											
Sept. Qr	9,176	1,929	11,700	*1,604	258	9,290	6,479	1,967	*30,058	2,329	57,054
Dec. Qr	9,150	1,929	11,412	1,728	244	10,877	8,410	1,807	*34,594	2,187	61,244
March Qr	8,914	1,991	11,522	1,937	194	8,427	6,891	2,013	31,447	2,509	58,514

(a) See footnote (a) to Table 4. (b) Includes Mental Health Services. * Revised.

No. 6—Consolidated Revenue Fund : Revenue classified according to Source (\$'000)

Source of Revenue	Financial Year				Nine Months ended 31 March 1963
	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	
Governmental					
Taxation—					
Land Tax	2,701	2,892	3,398	3,589	3,486
Stamp Duties not elsewhere included	6,851	7,678	8,723	11,698	12,272
Probate Duty	3,090	3,030	3,947	4,777	3,477
Licences not elsewhere included	1,834	1,952	2,038	2,351	1,959
Racing Taxes	2,318	2,697	2,895	3,154	2,496
Motor Vehicle Third Party Insurance Surcharge	538	572	609	661	529
Stamp Duty on Registration of Motor Vehicles	273	690	965	1,306	1,138
Total	17,604	19,512	22,574	27,536	25,358
Territorial—					
Land	982	1,004	1,118	1,357	1,193
Timber	2,356	2,589	2,720	3,328	5,607
Mining	413	513	759	2,971	2,537
Total	3,751	4,107	4,598	7,655	9,338
Law Courts	801	906	999	1,212	1,069
Departmental Reimbursements, Fees, etc.	20,948	26,712	28,753	31,461	19,436
Royal Mint	420	502	590	747	438
Total	22,170	28,180	30,341	33,420	20,943
Commonwealth—					
Financial Assistance Grants	65,597	70,498	78,474	85,873	71,464
Grants under Section 96 of Constitution	12,144	17,120	24,038	19,406	11,643
Interest Contributions on State Debts	947	947	947	947	710
Additional Assistance Grants	300	—	—	523	—
Total	78,988	88,565	103,459	106,748	83,817
Total, Governmental	122,512	140,365	160,972	175,360	139,455
Public Utilities					
Country Water Supplies, Sewerage, Drainage and Irrigation	3,002	2,906	3,308	4,073	3,541
Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage	6,966	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
State Abattoirs and Saleyards	407	408	438	449	343
Railways	34,929	36,381	41,864	48,194	37,639
State Batteries	72	83	73	71	57
Total, Public Utilities	45,377	39,778	45,683	52,787	41,581
GRAND TOTAL, REVENUE	167,888	180,143	206,655	228,146	181,037

(a) Not applicable. See footnote (a) to Table 4.

No. 7—Consolidated Revenue Fund : Expenditure classified according to Departments
(\$'000)

Heads of Expenditure	Financial Year				Nine Months ended 31 March 1968
	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	
Appropriations Under Special Acts					
Agriculture Protection Board	244	256	258	441	307
Auditor General	10	11	11	12	17
Coal Mine Workers (Pensions) Act	48	48	48	48	48
Constitution Acts	10	12	16	16	12
Fire Brigades Act Contribution	295	254	265	288	329
Forests Act—Conservator of Forests	10	10	10	12	9
Forests Act—Transfer from Revenue	1,946	2,142	2,353	2,862	2,166
Industrial Commission	15	36	38	42	41
Judges' Salaries and Pensions Act	74	89	89	99	73
Loan Acts—Interest, Sinking Fund and Exchange	31,771	34,669	37,926	41,662	33,089
Members of Parliament, Reimbursement of Expenses Act	126	126	144	147	109
Mine Workers' Relief Act	48	45	42	45	37
Native Welfare Act	20	20	20	20	20
Noxious Weeds Act	56	82	140	117
Parliamentary Allowances Act	436	440	561	572	425
Parliamentary Superannuation Act	33	42	51	51	51
Pensions and Retiring Allowances	180	158	145	125	87
Royal Mint	50	50	50	50	50
Superannuation and Family Benefits Act	2,224	2,424	2,560	2,728	2,416
University Building Acts	26	26	25	13	10
University Medical School Act	28	28	28	28	14
University of Western Australia—Subsidy	500	500	500	500	375
Other	48	35	41	38	70
Total, Special Acts	38,144	41,478	45,264	49,939	39,871
Legislature					
Legislative Council	34	40	42	49	42
Legislative Assembly	48	51	55	73	59
Joint House Committee	73	87	92	97	77
Joint Printing Committee	68	70	70	78	61
Joint Library Committee	2	4	4	5	4
Total, Legislature	225	252	263	303	243
Departments					
Premier, Treasurer and Minister for Tourists—					
Premier's Department	208	203	225	246	217
Treasury	314	339	353	471	359
Governor's Establishment	51	56	61	62	46
London Agency	97	154	201	234	165
Public Service Commissioner	89	122	151	182	150
Public Service Arbitrator	4	10
Government Motor Car Service	34	24	34	114	103
Audit	216	222	240	268	220
Compassionate Allowances	1	1	1	1	(a)
Government Stores	370	386	425	496	412
Taxation	308	409	480	525
Superannuation Board	42	44	50	60	51
Government Printer	1,384	1,449	1,631	978	832
Automatic Data Processing Centre	97
Miscellaneous Services—
University—Other Grants	1,928	2,421	2,831	2,886	3,483
Other	7,917	9,985	13,578	15,572	7,091
Total	12,959	15,814	20,261	22,099	13,235
Minister for Agriculture—					
Agriculture	2,554	2,789	3,056	3,454	2,753
College of Agriculture	169	193	190	224	169
Agriculture Protection Board	95	101	110
Co-ordinator of Agricultural Industries	6	14
Total	2,818	3,083	3,356	3,684	2,935
Minister for Industrial Development and the North-West—					
Industrial Development	659	647	761	866	636
North-West	7,634	8,733	9,025	9,885	7,489
Total	8,293	9,381	9,785	10,751	8,125
Minister for Education and Native Welfare—					
Education	25,489	28,621	33,421	35,988	28,257
Native Welfare	915	1,135	1,308	1,437	1,207
Total	26,404	29,756	34,729	37,425	29,464
Minister for Works—					
Public Works and Buildings	4,024	4,237	4,912	5,704	4,813
Harbour and Light and Jetties	1,105	1,299	1,540	1,514	1,384
Total	5,129	5,537	6,451	7,218	6,197
Minister for Health and Fisheries and Fauna—					
Medical	13,128	15,082	16,446	18,541	15,293
Homes	1,157	1,203	1,366
Public Health	1,654	1,779	1,955	2,334	1,877
Mental Health Services	2,836	3,152	3,481	4,215	3,541
Fisheries and Fauna	249	279	343	422	378
Total	19,024	21,495	23,591	25,512	21,090

For footnotes, see end of table.

No. 7—Consolidated Revenue Fund : Expenditure classified according to Departments—continued
(\$'000)

Heads of Expenditure	Financial Year				Nine Months ended 31 March 1968
	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	
Minister for Mines and Justice—					
Mines	1,345	1,485	1,647	1,899	1,542
Crown Law	1,685	1,880	2,083	2,472	2,051
Electoral	86	155	75	88	136
Licensing	31	32	33	45	35
Court of Arbitration	(b) 52	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Total	3,199	3,553	3,839	4,504	3,764
Minister for Lands, Forests and Immigration—					
Lands and Surveys	2,183	2,224	2,408	2,829	2,096
Forests	1,090	1,248	1,297	1,402	1,140
Bush Fires Board	61	85	107	134	100
Total	3,335	3,557	3,812	4,366	3,336
Chief Secretary and Minister for Police and Traffic—					
Chief Secretary	306	329	384	420	347
Registry and Friendly Societies	95	103	106	122	97
Prisons	779	850	919	1,232	1,142
Observatory	21	29	35	52	39
Police	4,438	4,940	5,270	5,820	5,027
Total	5,640	6,251	6,714	7,646	6,653
Minister for Local Government, Town Planning and Child Welfare—					
Local Government	111	123	130	148	138
Town Planning	125	163	204	240	230
Child Welfare	1,586	1,720	1,879	2,130	1,674
Total	1,822	2,007	2,213	2,519	2,042
Minister for Housing and Labour—					
Labour	71	73	83	100	82
Industrial Commission	(b) 33	98	116	131	101
Scaffolding	31	39	54	54	39
Factories	81	83	87	88	76
Weights and Measures	(c)	(c)	47	51	34
Total	216	293	386	424	332
Total, Departments	88,839	100,727	115,137	126,147	97,172
Public Utilities					
Country Water Supplies, Sewerage, Drainage and Irrigation	4,166	4,503	4,779	5,419	4,225
Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage	3,134	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
State Abattoirs and Saleyards	432	486	511	532	358
Railways	35,340	36,965	40,300	45,397	34,634
State Batteries	402	430	412	437	308
Total, Public Utilities	43,473	42,385	46,001	51,785	39,526
GRAND TOTAL, EXPENDITURE	170,681	184,840	206,665	228,174	176,812

(a) Expenditure of less than \$500.
of Arbitration on 1 February 1964.
See footnote (a) to Table 4.

(b) The Western Australian Industrial Commission replaced the Court
(c) Included in Police Department expenditure. (d) Not applicable.

No. 8—Net Loan Expenditure from 1872 (a)
(\$'000)

Nature of Expenditure	From 1872 to 30 June 1962	Financial Year					From 1872 to 30 June 1967
		1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	
Public Works, Services, etc.—							
Railways, Tramways and Omnibuses	150,765	6,204	7,496	6,800	7,628	9,068	187,960
Electricity Supply	42,147	500	794	794	1,434	2,427	47,303
Harbours and Rivers	38,775	2,438	3,023	2,822	2,583	1,746	51,393
Public Buildings—							
Schools	42,159	5,313	5,753	7,008	7,690	8,450	76,373
Hospitals	28,271	4,840	5,032	6,514	6,568	6,021	57,246
Other	11,943	3,267	4,844	6,426	5,650	3,759	35,891
Housing (b)	30,313	2,115	3,382	1,539	1,151	3,082	41,583
Water Supplies, Sewerage, Drainage and Irrigation	127,564	10,770	10,537	10,957	12,667	13,642	186,136
Development of Goldfields and Mineral Resources	15,544	174	113	126	401	128	16,486
Development of Agriculture	55,893	626	490	429	463	443	58,343
Miscellaneous (c)	66,546	2,648	2,424	3,362	1,564	2,250	78,794
Total	609,919	38,894	43,100	46,779	47,800	51,015	837,507
Other Expenditure (d)	45,385	Cr. 348	520	179	293	735	46,765
GRAND TOTAL	655,304	38,546	43,620	46,958	48,093	51,751	884,272

(a) Year of assent to Western Australia's first Loan Act.
loans under Commonwealth-State Housing Agreement.

(b) Excludes expenditure from Commonwealth
(c) Includes State Trading Concerns.
(d) Comprises discounts, flotation expenses and loans raised to meet revenue deficits.

No. 9—Public Debt

Particulars	At 30 June—				
	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967
Debits—	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Aggregate Net Loan Expenditure	693,850	737,470	784,428	832,521	884,272
Inscribed Stock issued under Agricultural Bank Act	3,132	3,132	3,132	3,132	3,132
Rural and Industries Bank	—	2,134	2,134	2,134	2,134
Debenture Stock	—	5	78	38	18
Unexpended Balance of General Loan Fund	—	—	—	—	—
Total Debits	696,982	742,741	789,773	837,825	889,556
Credits—					
Aggregate Redemptions	109,643	116,697	124,153	132,310	140,954
Over-expenditure from General Loan Fund	3	—	—	—	—
Total Credits	109,646	116,697	124,153	132,310	140,954
Balance—Gross Public Debt	587,336	626,045	665,620	705,514	748,601
Amount of Public Debt maturing in—					
Australia	515,465	550,362	591,340	632,794	677,807
London	62,754	66,853	65,844	64,796	63,737
New York	7,530	7,267	6,890	6,417	5,582
Canada	662	638	621	584	551
Netherlands	539	539	539	539	539
Switzerland	385	385	385	385	385
Gross Public Debt	587,336	626,045	665,620	705,514	748,601
Sinking Fund available for further Debt Redemption (a)	485	442	473	267	216
Net Public Debt	586,851	625,603	665,147	705,248	748,386
Per Head of Population	\$744.4	\$773.8	\$805.7	\$831.6	\$854.0

(a) Representing balance of Sinking Fund held by National Debt Commission.

No. 10—Savings Bank Transactions (a)

Period	Deposits (b)	Withdrawals (b)	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals	Interest Added to Accounts	Operative Accounts at end of period (a)	Depositors' Balances at end of Period		
						Total	Average per Operative Account	Average per head of Popu- lation
1962-63	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	'000	\$'000	\$	\$
1963-64	258,132	236,432	21,700	6,056	683	208,812	305.7	264.9
1964-65	306,142	281,322	24,820	6,134	736	239,766	325.8	296.6
1965-66	345,734	331,250	14,484	7,404	786	261,654	332.9	317.0
1966-67	397,581	375,075	22,506	8,711	848	292,871	345.4	345.3
1967-68	467,401	439,255	28,146	9,790	905	330,807	365.5	377.5
1967-68—								
Sept. Quarter (c)	131,798	116,431	15,367	1,368	916	347,542	379.4	*393.3
Dec. Quarter (c)	136,741	130,791	5,950	84	925	353,576	382.2	396.0

(a) The number of operative accounts shown excludes school bank accounts and inoperative accounts (i.e., accounts of less than \$2 which have not been operated on for more than two years). The figures shown in other columns in this table include particulars of these accounts. (b) Includes inter-branch transfers. (c) Preliminary; subject to revision. * Revised.

No. 11—Trading Banks : Average Weekly Debits to Customers' Accounts (a)
(\$ million)

Year	Month												Average for Year
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	
1963-64	88.1	84.0	90.3	98.1	96.6	105.3	97.6	101.5	101.0	102.0	96.3	95.8	96.4
1964-65	96.0	87.9	94.9	106.6	100.1	116.8	106.9	110.7	111.9	111.9	113.8	116.7	106.3
1965-66	108.5	108.7	106.3	121.6	121.4	128.2	138.1	122.4	128.6	119.5	136.3	120.2	122.4
1966-67	129.2	122.5	118.6	135.8	135.4	146.1	154.5	143.0	138.3	149.9	150.4	141.7	138.6
1967-68	154.0	145.5	140.1	160.7	169.0	176.6	164.8	190.7	—	—	—	—	—

(a) Average of debits during weeks ending on Wednesdays during the period. Represents the total of all cheques drawn by customers of all trading banks (see footnote (a) to Table 12) and, in addition, the Rural Credits Department of the Reserve Bank of Australia and the Commonwealth Development Bank of Australia. Debits to Commonwealth and State Government accounts at city branches are excluded as they are subject to abnormal influences.

No. 12—Trading Banks(a): Averages of Customers' Balances and Bank Advances
(Averages based on amounts as at close of business each Wednesday)

Period	Customers' Balances						Loans, Advances, and Bills Discounted (b)	Ratio of Advances to Deposits
	Not Bearing Interest		Bearing Interest			Total		
	Australian Governments	Other	Australian Governments	Other				
				Current	Fixed			
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	%
1962-63	1,092	143,248	20	9,336	66,256	219,952	153,528	69.8
1963-64	1,238	154,882	62	11,280	74,806	242,268	164,878	68.1
1964-65	1,356	159,486	1,586	12,686	97,316	272,430	186,000	68.3
1965-66	1,734	174,565	3,101	13,875	117,160	310,432	195,190	62.9
1966-67	1,673	202,679	5,315	15,466	130,769	355,899	212,023	59.6
1967-68—								
September Quarter	1,803	198,660	9,032	16,409	133,568	359,468	246,005	68.4
December Quarter	1,484	217,298	10,937	16,724	139,531	385,972	258,151	66.9
March Quarter	1,868	261,210	9,324	16,585	146,623	435,608	239,953	55.1

(a) Comprises the Commonwealth Trading Bank of Australia, The Rural and Industries Bank of Western Australia (Rural Department) and seven private trading banks; see footnote (a) to next table. (b) Excludes loans to authorised dealers in the short-term money market.

No. 13—Private Trading Banks(a): Averages of Customers' Balances and Bank Advances
(Averages based on amounts as at close of business each Wednesday)
(\$'000)

Year	Customers' Balances					Loans, Advances, and Bills Discounted (b)				
	Sept. Qr	Dec. Qr	March Qr	June Qr	Year	Sept. Qr	Dec. Qr	March Qr	June Qr	Year
1963-64	161,126	174,662	192,920	183,842	178,206	108,054	114,570	109,688	116,498	112,156
1964-65	184,152	198,012	209,280	196,103	196,622	122,918	130,653	123,844	132,326	127,288
1965-66	195,052	209,232	241,275	228,601	218,283	134,154	141,593	126,499	131,151	133,322
1966-67	226,801	242,352	268,433	251,260	247,307	136,925	145,976	143,981	161,530	147,125
1967-68	249,249	268,237	301,935	171,527	179,167	166,013

(a) Comprises the Australia and New Zealand Bank Limited, The Bank of Adelaide, The Bank of New South Wales, The Commercial Bank of Australia Limited, The Commercial Banking Company of Sydney Limited, The English, Scottish and Australian Bank, Limited, and The National Bank of Australasia Limited. (b) Excludes loans to authorised dealers in the short-term money market.

No. 14—Real Estate Transactions
(Registrations effected at the Office of Titles)

Period	Transfers		Mortgages		Discharges of Mortgages
	number	\$'000	number	\$'000	
1962-63	25,302	124,299	19,633	100,122	14,443
1963-64	29,295	159,193	22,773	128,837	16,588
1964-65	31,924	190,636	23,826	139,281	18,108
1965-66	28,529	184,985	22,320	140,117	17,664
1966-67	35,170	254,610	27,877	184,278	21,535
1967-68—					
September Quarter	9,455	76,684	7,601	57,370	5,806
December Quarter	9,464	82,172	7,803	61,896	5,718
March Quarter	9,715	88,386	7,544	59,102	5,863

No. 15—New Companies Registered
(Source—Companies Registration Office)

Period	Local Companies		Foreign (a) Companies Registered
	Registered	Nominal Capital	
	No.	\$'000	No.
1962-63	468	68,193	181
1963-64	504	38,793	210
1964-65	496	138,199	244
1965-66	607	38,332	230
1966-67	795	56,155	223
1967-68—			
September Quarter	219	12,002	57
December Quarter	255	19,866	54
March Quarter	271	16,433	74

(a) A company incorporated outside Western Australia is required to register as a "foreign" company if carrying on business in Western Australia.

III—SHIPPING

No. 16—Vessels Entered at each Port : Twelve Months ended June 1966

Port	From Overseas Countries			From Other Australian States		From Other Western Australian Ports	Total	
	Direct	Via Other Australian States	Via Other Western Australian Ports	Direct	Via Other Western Australian Ports		Vessels	Net Tons '000
Port of Fremantle	644	52	83	489	91	203	1,562	8,883
Other Ports—								
Albany	40	2	17	54	2	36	151	800
Barrow Island	2	2	3
Broome	1	2	1	5	22	67	98	164
Bunbury	27	1	24	34	4	78	168	727
Busselton	1	1	13	15	17
Carnarvon	3	12	6	20	41	43
Dampier	24	5	14	3	4	41	91	208
Derby	10	8	10	17	64	109	192
Esperance	11	2	7	1	9	30	153
Exmouth	12	1	7	10	30	92
Geraldton	61	1	10	6	5	55	138	566
Onslow	22	49	71	121
Point Samson	6	2	6	20	61	95	167
Port Hedland	27	1	18	10	14	103	173	236
Wyndham	8	1	5	17	61	92	194
Yampi	28	1	94	30	55	208	1,190

No. 17—Vessels Cleared from each Port : Twelve Months ended June 1966

Port	To Overseas Countries			To Other Australian States		To Other Western Australian Ports	Total	
	Direct	Via Other Australian States	Via Other Western Australian Ports	Direct	Via Other Western Australian Ports		Vessels	Net Tons '000
Port of Fremantle	746	36	22	443	93	210	1,555	8,190
Other Ports—								
Albany	62	4	41	8	2	34	151	796
Barrow Island	3	3	4
Broome	3	1	4	43	46	97	158
Bunbury	26	1	80	12	2	48	169	724
Busselton	2	2	1	7	3	15	17
Carnarvon	12	2	1	5	21	41	43
Dampier	15	8	11	58	92	209
Derby	7	3	42	56	108	191
Esperance	5	5	3	1	17	31	156
Exmouth	1	1	29	31	97
Geraldton	31	29	8	29	40	137	554
Onslow	2	34	35	71	121
Point Samson	6	1	1	41	45	94	164
Port Hedland	36	5	36	95	172	235
Wyndham	6	1	55	1	30	93	196
Yampi	4	141	43	20	208	1,190

No. 18—Number and Net Tonnage of Vessels entered at each Port

Port	1961-62		1962-63		1963-64		1964-65		1965-66	
	No.	'000 tons	No.	'000 tons	No.	'000 tons	No.	'000 tons	No.	'000 tons
Port of Fremantle	1,491	8,017	1,425	7,696	1,418	7,881	1,411	7,715	1,562	8,383
Other Ports—										
Albany	144	672	140	674	149	713	157	763	151	800
Barrow Island	20	19	2	3
Broome	87	134	86	149	96	167	96	148	98	164
Bunbury	126	499	114	472	142	603	139	660	168	727
Busselton	22	40	20	34	21	32	16	22	15	17
Carnarvon	71	110	77	134	65	110	81	99	41	43
Dampier	7	24	91	208
Derby	84	137	101	172	115	199	111	190	109	192
Esperance	36	202	30	181	26	136	33	164	30	153
Exmouth	21	48	30	92
Geraldton	146	493	110	386	112	389	95	372	138	566
Onslow	67	102	78	124	72	125	79	127	71	121
Point Samson	104	171	102	172	103	187	110	202	95	167
Port Hedland	103	154	82	137	103	172	131	201	173	236
Wyndham	83	153	83	184	98	223	98	210	92	194
Yampi	142	631	136	608	165	676	192	816	208	1,190

No. 19—Principal Items of Cargo (Overseas, Interstate and Intrastate) Shipped at each Port

The information in this table is obtained from data supplied by the Fremantle Port Authority; the Albany Harbour Board; the Bunbury Harbour Board; the Harbour and Light Department; and private operators in respect of Barrow Island, Dampier and Exmouth.

(Tons)

Port	Cargo	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67
Port of Fremantle	Alumina	32,033	129,562	169,978	303,007
	Barley	37,463	23,386	17,753	39,103	47,094
	Flour	75,632	83,046	80,020	54,808	39,393
	Iron and steel products	197,667	211,249	266,780	224,379	202,402
	Meat (frozen)	21,239	25,202	21,779	27,449	23,919
	Minerals	37,282	29,214	34,799	36,816	35,143
	Oats	29,310	22,081	37,456	48,579	64,570
	Petroleum products	2,345,276	2,511,132	2,078,654	2,015,559	1,474,453
	Timber	17,411	16,412	18,311	28,569	27,614
	Wheat	776,621	799,326	537,747	1,104,409	1,420,781
	Wool	103,562	113,944	102,932	131,618	142,267
	Other	278,413	323,245	394,000	433,018	557,450
	Total	3,919,876	4,195,225	3,719,793	4,314,275	4,338,093
Albany	Apples	11,468	4,384	11,920	3,711	8,595
	Barley and oats	65,175	55,333	75,084	106,253	62,029
	Meat	1,714	1,913	1,926	2,170	2,358
	Whale oil	3,925	3,295	5,625	4,167	3,016
	Wheat	153,347	206,599	188,566	245,059	255,242
	Wool	5,048	4,136	6,575	6,935	11,487
	Other	4,336	4,460	1,629	3,022	3,766
	Total	245,013	340,120	291,325	371,317	346,493
Barrow Island	Crude oil	130,830
	Other	203	104	2,148
	Total	203	104	132,978
Broome	Fertiliser	(a)	(a)	(a)	1,034	(a)
	Meat	1,935	2,179	2,235	3,952	2,971
	Meat by-products	(a)	(a)	(a)	590	1,497
	Pearlshell	403	180	179	134	229
	Wool	116	74	79	83	90
	Other	1,939	1,597	3,981	2,583	4,135
	Total	4,393	4,030	6,474	8,376	8,922
Bunbury	Fruit	(a)	(a)	(a)	8,274	17,367
	Mineral sands	176,909	267,680	364,090	465,969	446,845
	Oats	45,612	27,199	29,433	48,944	15,222
	Timber	77,470	73,825	45,341	89,303	77,761
	Wheat	138,285	111,341	73,683	84,336	157,779
	Other	4,318	6,766	13,491	2,531	5,736
	Total	442,594	491,611	531,043	699,357	720,710
Busselton	Timber	17,191	18,554	15,740	15,587	8,210
	Titanium dioxide	80	145	360
	Total	17,191	18,554	15,820	15,732	8,570
Carnarvon	Sheep	358	7	33
	Whale products	5,480	1,227
	Wool	158	97
	Other	3,051	381	2,603	255
	Total	9,047	1,712	2,636	255
Dampier	Iron ore	2,526,569
	Other	74	671
	Total	74	2,527,240
Derby	Cattle	14,999	14,886	12,701	10,093	8,851
	Lead, Zinc ore	(a)	(a)	(a)	2,174	(a)
	Meat	(a)	(a)	(a)	546	1,417
	Rice	(a)	(a)	(a)	365	732
	Wool	529	457	443	392	367
	Other	5,259	5,022	11,509	2,977	3,862
	Total	20,787	20,365	24,653	16,552	15,229
Esperance	Barley and oats	6,812	9,749	17,362	15,459
	Copper ore	5,913	4,004	5,048	2,378	3,362
	Gypsum	17,135	8,168
	Other minerals	5,197	2,868	40	602
	Wheat	11,470	4,789	41,989	28,951	90,890
	Other	441	590
	Total	46,527	29,578	47,518	50,383	109,711
Exmouth	Total	345	470

(a) Not recorded separately.

No. 19—Principal Items of Cargo (Overseas, Interstate and Intrastate) Shipped at each Port—*continued*
(Tons)

Port	Cargo	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67
Geraldton	Barley and oats	16,880	16,707	16,342	26,549	39,084
	Iron ore	116,605	644,326
	Manganese	15,747	15,628	39,213	60,888
	Other minerals	7,839	944	891	1,145
	Wheat	266,785	230,025	250,823	417,423	356,614
	Wool	255	114	193	101
	Other	4,977	10,387	2,271	4,201	6,389
	Total	312,483	257,233	286,201	604,887	1,117,547
Onslow	Wool	703	780	1,005	947	851
	Other	2,094	981	563	364	551
	Total	2,797	1,761	1,568	1,311	1,402
Point Samson	Asbestos	13,372	5,896	10,130	8,781	5,355
	Iron ore	9,307
	Other minerals	99	1,255	68	107
	Wool	357	619	510	684	541
	Other	678	4,075	1,396	1,473	760
	Total	14,506	11,845	12,036	20,313	6,763
Port Hedland	Iron ore	76,058	2,277,126
	Manganese	33,477	25,259	69,055	71,163	129,476
	Other minerals	295	635	366	954	404
	Wool	619	887	707	562	712
	Other	1,344	7,144	2,547	2,038	4,837
	Total	35,735	33,925	72,675	150,775	2,412,555
Wyndham	Cotton	(a)	(a)	(a)	1,614	2,837
	Cotton seed	(a)	(a)	(a)	1,802	5,214
	Meat	4,777	5,623	4,026	4,678	3,952
	Other	8,496	8,178	8,078	5,386	4,658
	Total	13,273	13,801	12,104	13,480	16,661
Yampi	Iron ore	1,288,728	1,385,577	1,570,047	2,701,863	2,924,718
	Other	424	266	380	214	217
	Total	1,289,152	1,385,843	1,570,427	2,702,077	2,924,935

(a) Not recorded separately.

No. 20—Tonnage of Cargo Discharged and Shipped at each Port (a)
(⁰⁰⁰ tons)

Port	1962-63		1963-64		1964-65		1965-66		1966-67	
	Dis- charged	Shipped	Dis- charged	Shipped	Dis- charged	Shipped	Dis- charged	Shipped	Dis- charged	Shipped
Port of Fremantle	4,599	3,656	4,863	3,870	4,716	3,420	4,966	3,975	5,148	4,338
Other Ports—										
Albany	171	245	162	340	200	286	215	371	231	347
Barrow Island (b)	(c)	4	(c)	(c)	20	133
Broome	9	3	15	4	20	7	15	8	19	9
Bunbury	141	395	198	472	204	523	204	694	256	721
Busselton	15	17	15	16	9
Carnarvon	11	8	9	5	18	2	20	1	18
Dampier	8	131	(c)	78	2,527
Derby	24	21	25	21	22	24	28	16	28	15
Esperance	53	43	70	22	120	45	109	54	149	110
Exmouth	7	20	1	26
Geraldton	111	309	116	277	126	287	179	616	192	1,118
Onslow	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1
Point Samson	11	12	4	8	29	9	27	19	6	7
Port Hedland	15	36	14	33	32	73	101	151	72	2,413
Wyndham	34	12	30	10	36	12	44	11	38	17
Yampi	8	1,271	11	1,370	10	1,511	6	2,468	82	2,925
Total	590	2,371	656	2,580	839	2,794	1,104	4,425	1,217	10,352
All Ports	5,189	6,027	5,519	6,450	5,555	6,214	6,070	8,400	6,365	14,690

(a) Most cargoes are recorded in terms of the ton weight of 2,240 lb but some cargo, consisting mainly of bulky commodities, is recorded on the basis of the ton measurement, a unit equivalent to 40 cubic feet of space. Statistics are compiled accordingly in terms of "tons weight" or "tons measurement". In order to provide a ready comparison, as in this table, of the volume of cargo handled at the several ports or in different periods, the amounts recorded in the two categories have been aggregated. In Table 21 details of cargo handled at each port are presented separately on the basis of "tons weight" and "tons measurement".

(b) Buoyed sea terminal.

(c) Less than 500 tons.

No. 21—Tonnage of Cargo Discharged and Shipped at each Port (a) : Six Months ended December 1967

(Tons)

Port	Discharged								Shipped								Total Discharged and Shipped	
	Overseas		Interstate		Intrastate		Total		Overseas		Interstate		Intrastate		Total			
	Weight	Measurement	Weight	Measurement	Weight	Measurement	Weight	Measurement	Weight	Measurement	Weight	Measurement	Weight	Measurement	Weight	Measurement	Weight	Measurement
Port of Fremantle	1,886,312	142,638	393,917	140,069	165,970	13,548	2,446,199	296,255	1,266,726	41,474	871,249	113,858	254,340	40,041	2,392,315	195,373	4,838,514	491,628
Other Ports—																		
Albany	110,804	612	11,040	582	21,346	143,190	1,194	98,614	8,884	4	98,614	8,888	241,804	10,082
Barrow Is.	5,586	600	8,828	15,014	18,835	321,973	136,430	477,238	492,252
Broome	954	142	5	93	7,072	4,638	8,031	4,873	4,084	405	4	98	984	2,622	5,072	3,125	13,103	7,998
Bunbury	96,486	150	4,364	54,970	155,820	150	290,168	13,423	36,961	31,169	327,129	44,592	482,949	44,742
Busselton	187	1,072	4,680	1,072	4,867	1,072	4,867
Carnarvon....	7,184	1,332	8,516	8,516
Dampier	48,983	10,361	783	3,308	15,944	4,788	65,710	18,457	3,394,044	53	3,394,097	3,459,807	18,457
Derby	3,909	4	2	46	2,981	6,063	6,892	6,113	214	79	19	103	2,886	1,260	3,119	1,442	10,011	7,555
Esperance....	45,321	21,531	12,785	79,637	29,957	29,957	109,594
Exmouth	1,826	829	2,616	4,442	829	16	19	16	19	4,458	848
Geraldton	55,569	23	16	37,413	93,005	16	544,371	114	3,828	1	1,559	549,758	115	642,763	131
Onslow	1,002	1,002	9	6	769	778	6	1,780	6
Point Samson	400	440	1,014	840	1,014	9	535	781	544	781	1,384	1,795
Port Hedland	4,857	3,484	17,241	14,733	80,052	13,643	102,150	31,860	1,874,923	182	2,501	1,877,606	1,979,756	31,860
Wyndham....	4,951	339	645	56	3,567	7,782	9,163	8,177	10,748	4,291	273	591	1,853	15,630	1,626	24,793	9,803
Yampi	15,598	33,184	48,212	96,994	39,722	780,475	16,883	837,080	934,074
Total	402,028	15,921	92,434	18,834	295,944	37,928	790,406	72,683	6,305,696	23,111	1,148,823	5,165	163,191	37,185	7,617,710	65,461	8,408,116	138,144
All Ports....	2,288,340	158,559	486,351	158,903	461,914	51,476	3,236,605	368,938	7,572,422	64,585	2,020,072	119,023	417,531	77,226	10,010,025	260,834	13,246,630	629,772
1966-67	4,481,587	278,540	697,208	262,037	545,937	89,131	5,724,732	629,708	9,623,632	296,051	3,928,758	180,387	570,860	87,571	14,123,250	564,009	19,847,982	1,193,717
1965-66	4,473,724	161,015	776,638	112,383	458,177	87,919	5,708,539	361,317	3,803,605	144,297	3,831,415	41,475	395,978	183,681	8,030,998	369,453	13,739,537	730,770
1964-65	4,177,679	168,288	745,339	73,097	318,057	68,886	5,241,075	310,271	2,615,599	127,271	3,036,522	37,643	319,839	77,426	5,971,960	242,340	11,213,035	552,611
1963-64	4,297,067	149,997	645,527	91,213	284,394	50,947	5,226,988	292,157	3,184,788	128,138	2,763,712	40,398	269,098	64,250	6,217,598	232,786	11,444,586	524,943
1962-63	4,026,872	141,872	641,369	95,078	229,594	54,450	4,897,835	291,400	3,157,410	139,685	2,398,742	31,924	237,115	62,520	5,793,267	234,129	10,691,102	525,529

(a) See footnote (a) to previous table.

IV— EXTERNAL TRADE

No. 22—Value of Trade according to Origin and Destination
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Country	Imports			Exports (a)		
	1965-66	1966-67	Six Months ended Dec. 1967	1965-66	1966-67	Six Months ended Dec. 1967
Australia—						
New South Wales	167,363	195,133	87,848	54,061	46,170	19,326
Victoria	162,573	194,909	80,427	36,531	35,741	14,915
Queensland	14,464	16,607	5,569	2,795	3,573	1,438
South Australia	52,703	59,259	24,287	19,655	23,240	8,581
Tasmania	5,649	6,707	2,681	3,385	3,199	755
Northern Territory	302	343	2	3,193	4,107	1,996
Total, Interstate	403,054	472,959	200,814	119,619	116,030	47,011
Belgium-Luxembourg	824	991	346	3,694	5,376	2,821
Canada	3,886	6,042	2,953	1,202	1,569	1,724
Ceylon	1,461	1,264	637	1,792	944	824
China (mainland)	518	616	260	30,549	46,100	29,809
Christmas Island (Indian Ocean)	1,811	1,711	1,299	1,199	1,265	830
Czechoslovakia	204	238	117	987	3,369	1,958
France	1,654	1,481	1,485	12,086	12,666	7,628
Germany (East)	60	61	14	357	923	123
Germany, Federal Republic of	6,185	5,577	3,991	19,424	16,217	8,160
Hong Kong	769	4,330	826	3,952	6,074	1,714
India	2,832	2,793	826	6,153	17,206	17,480
Indonesia	859	157	146	246	119	168
Iran	13,507	6,773	3,286	3,402	534	474
Iraq	964	2,873	680	157	45	79
Italy	1,825	2,528	1,897	12,029	14,095	4,520
Japan	21,717	16,605	12,270	67,981	115,893	71,471
Kuwait	13,128	8,950	5,358	1,144	1,126	826
Malaysia (b)	2,421	1,891	1,681	5,479	4,464	1,650
Mexico	119	1,415	851	1,501	2,067	795
Nauru	1,361	2,759	2,270	10
Netherlands	1,588	1,226	683	2,106	6,373	2,863
New Caledonia	2,020	1,897	473
New Zealand	1,938	1,761	966	3,817	4,699	2,126
Pakistan	2,685	2,309	680	521	16,133	151
Qatar	8,888	8,657	2,591	232	249	257
Singapore (c)	756	2,194	886	5,886	9,904	6,376
South Africa	999	823	521	2,651	3,480	1,280
South Arabia, Federation of	3,693	3,026	946	1,505	1,232	3
Sweden	2,346	1,726	912	1,288	555	84
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics	5	7	8	16,194	7,467	3,530
United Kingdom	37,719	35,383	17,395	47,460	46,290	14,891
United States of America	29,787	20,729	18,461	36,310	41,852	18,491
Other Countries	9,131	12,494	6,916	21,080	31,131	13,665
Total, Overseas	175,690	159,390	92,191	314,404	421,325	217,246
GRAND TOTAL	578,744	632,350	293,005	434,023	537,355	264,257

(a) Excludes ships' stores. For details, see Table 27.

(b) To 30 September 1965, includes Singapore.

(c) Included with Malaysia up to 30 September 1965.

No. 23—Value of Overseas Trade according to Port
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Port	Imports			Exports (a)		
	1965-66	1966-67	Six Months ended Dec. 1967	1965-66	1966-67	Six Months ended Dec. 1967
Port of Fremantle (b)	165,717	143,156	73,922	241,779	287,202	132,916
Other Ports—						
Albany	1,874	2,238	1,664	26,359	30,048	9,392
Broome	6	216	810	1,809	2,166	3,824
Bunbury	2,413	2,838	1,904	12,486	21,347	7,908
Busselton	319	156	81
Dampier (d)	1,633	4,965	7,375	474	21,972	23,998
Derby (e)	6	68	109	469	733	438
Esperance	371	889	621	1,652	5,634	3,212
Exmouth (f)	141	7	33
Geraldton	1,751	3,193	769	24,514	27,437	19,004
Port Hedland (g)	1,819	1,587	4,878	2,084	21,806	16,441
Wyndham	99	240	(h)	2,451	2,824	(h)
Total	9,973	16,235	18,270	72,623	134,124	84,330
Total, All Ports	175,690	159,390	92,191	314,404	421,325	217,246

(a) Excludes ships' stores. For details, see Table 27.

(b) For the purpose of this table, the value of goods received from or consigned to overseas countries as air freight or by parcel post is included in the figures shown for the Port of Fremantle.

(c) Includes Wyndham.

(d) Includes Point Samson.

(e) Includes Yampi.

(f) Includes Carnarvon and Onslow.

(g) Includes Barrow Island.

(h) Included with Broome.

No. 24—Value of Trade according to Commodity Section, Division and Group

NOTE—See letterpress *External Trade* on page 2.

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Section, Division and Group No.	Description	IMPORTS				EXPORTS (a)			
		1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967			1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967		
			Overseas	Inter- state	Total		Overseas	Inter- state	Total
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS								
00	Live animals								
001	Live animals	4,768	(b)	637	637	2,297	1,123	98	1,222
	Total, Division 00	4,768	(b)	637	637	2,297	1,123	98	1,222
01	Meat and meat preparations								
011	Meat, fresh, chilled or frozen	286	15	15	17,602	10,257	310	10,568
012	Meat, dried, salted or smoked	54	8	8	100	6	47	53
013	Meat, canned or bottled, n.e.i., and meat preparations	1,840	12	459	471	153	37	53	90
	Total, Division 01	2,180	12	482	494	17,855	10,300	411	10,711
02	Dairy products and eggs								
022	Milk and cream	3,467	2	1,482	1,484	205	91	12	103
023	Butter	574	29	29	202	10	94	105
024	Cheese	1,849	119	418	537	236	190	7	197
025	Eggs	120	(b)	21	21	155	164	1	164
	Total, Division 02	6,010	121	1,950	2,071	797	456	114	569
03	Fish and fish preparations								
031	Fish, fresh and simply preserved	1,257	552	56	608	16,907	4,975	111	5,086
032	Fish, canned or bottled, n.e.i., and fish preparations (in- cluding crustaceans and mol- luses)	1,081	373	161	533	853	1	2	3
	Total, Division 03	2,338	924	217	1,141	17,761	4,976	113	5,089
04	Cereals and cereal prepara- tions								
041	Wheat, unmilled	126,918	61,213	(b)	61,213
042	Rice	423	22	191	212	83	2	2
043	Barley, unmilled	(b)	(b)	(b)	5,464	(b)	(b)	(b)
044	Maize, unmilled	14	2	3	5
045	Other cereals, unmilled	85	1	31	31	8,611	3,188	2	3,190
046	Meal and flour of wheat	206	{ (b)	94	95	2,509	{ 2 1,729	55	1,785
047	Meal and flour of cereals other than wheat								
048	Cereal preparations, n.e.i.	3,584	155	1,323	1,478	1,631	357	40	398
	Total, Division 04	4,311	180	1,641	1,821	145,217	66,489	100	66,589
05	Fruit and vegetables								
051	Fruit, fresh and nuts (not in- cluding oil nuts), fresh or dried	1,333	128	433	561	5,705	328	2	330
052	Dried fruit	843	9	378	387	289	174	5	179
053	Fruit, preserved and fruit pre- parations	4,600	87	1,790	1,877	390	28	85	113
054	Vegetables, fresh, frozen or simply preserved, n.e.i.	1,214	46	335	381	2,048	430	55	485
055	Vegetables, preserved or pre- pared, n.e.i.	2,520	161	915	1,076	12	(b)	3	3
	Total, Division 05	10,509	431	3,852	4,283	8,446	961	149	1,110
06	Sugar, sugar preparations and honey								
061	Sugar and honey	5,345	9	2,280	2,290	854	134	7	140
062	Sugar confectionery and other sugar preparations (except chocolate confectionery)	2,325	35	921	956	540	12	217	229
	Total, Division 06	7,670	44	3,201	3,246	1,395	145	224	369
07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof								
071	Coffee	1,875	75	918	992	25	5	13	18
072	Cocoa	245	49	22	72	9
073	Chocolate and other cocoa preparations	3,618	16	1,375	1,391	77	3	57	60
074	Tea	2,153	792	136	929	119	1	64	65
075	Spices	206	24	67	91	4	(b)	1	1
	Total, Division 07	8,098	956	2,518	3,474	234	9	135	144

For footnotes, see end of table.

No. 24—Value of Trade according to Commodity Section, Division and Group—*continued*NOTE—See letterpress *External Trade* on page 2.

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Section, Division and Group No.	Description	IMPORTS			EXPORTS (a)				
		1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967		1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967			
			Overseas	Inter- state		Total	Overseas	Inter- state	Total
	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS— <i>continued</i>								
08 081	Feeding-stuff for animals Feeding stuff for animals (ex- cluding unmilled cereals)	1,096	449	171	621	434	232	11	243
	Total, Division 08	1,096	449	171	621	434	232	11	243
09	Miscellaneous preparations chiefly for food								
091	Margarine, lard and other rendered fats, n.e.i.	2,235	(b)	881	881	9	(b)	12	12
099	Food preparations, n.e.i.	6,031	96	2,155	2,251	61	6	31	38
	Total, Division 09	8,266	96	3,036	3,132	70	7	43	49
	TOTAL, SECTION 0	55,247	3,213	17,706	20,919	194,506	84,699	1,397	86,096
1	BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO								
11	Beverages								
111	Non-alcoholic beverages, n.e.i.	47	1	6	7	775	36	3	39
112	Alcoholic beverages	4,300	373	1,648	2,021	199	86	93	179
	Total, Division 11	4,347	374	1,654	2,028	974	122	95	218
12	Tobacco and tobacco manu- factures								
121	Tobacco, unmanufactured	(b)	(b)
122	Tobacco manufactures	11,954	118	5,550	5,668	9	5	5
	Total, Division 12	11,954	119	5,550	5,669	9	5	5
	TOTAL, SECTION 1	16,301	493	7,204	7,697	983	127	95	223
2	CRUDE MATERIALS, IN- EDIBLE, EXCEPT FUELS								
21	Hides, skins and fur skins, undressed								
211	Hides and skins, undressed	109	3	3	5,211	1,919	214	2,133
212	Fur skins, undressed	166	53	39	91
	Total, Division 21	109	3	3	5,377	1,972	252	2,224
22	Oil-seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels								
221	Oil-seeds, oil nuts and oil ker- nels	560	15	31	46	341	573	573
	Total, Division 22	560	15	31	46	341	573	573
23	Crude rubber								
231	Crude rubber (including syn- thetic and reclaimed)	391	163	2	165
	Total, Division 23	391	163	2	165
24	Wood, timber and cork								
241	Wood waste and charcoal	(b)	(b)	4	4	(b)
242	Wood in the rough or roughly squared	532	340	340	11	7	7
243	Wood shaped or simply worked	1,080	951	14	965	7,464	959	713	1,672
244	Cork, raw and waste	160	43	43
	Total, Division 24	1,773	1,334	18	1,352	7,476	959	720	1,678
25	Pulp and waste paper								
251	Pulp and waste paper	531	255	255	24	17	17
	Total, Division 25	531	255	255	24	17	17

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No. 24—Value of Trade according to Commodity Section, Division and Group—*continued*NOTE—See letterpress *External Trade* on page 2.

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Section, Division and Group No.	Description	IMPORTS				EXPORTS (a)			
		1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967			1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967		
			Overseas	Inter- state	Total		Overseas	Inter- state	Total
2	CRUDE MATERIALS, IN- EDIBLE, EXCEPT FUELS— <i>continued</i>								
26	Textile fibres and their waste								
261	Silk	386	19	11	30	130,012	58,528	1,481	60,009
262	Wool	45	29	6	35	1,572	1	(b)	1
263	Cotton								
264	Jute								
265	Vegetable fibres, except cotton and jute	407	148	1	150	(b)		1	1
266	Synthetic and regenerated fibres	31		6	6				
267	Waste materials from tex- tile fabrics	23	(b)	8	9	57	14	13	27
	Total, Division 26	891	196	33	229	131,641	58,544	1,495	60,038
27	Crude fertilisers and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)								
271	Fertilisers, crude	7,362	4,978	6	4,984				
273	Stone, sand and gravel	90	49	1	51	96	15	4	19
274	Sulphur and unroasted iron pyrites	4,312	3,307		3,307				
275	Natural abrasives (including industrial diamonds)	37	10	1	11	33	18	1	19
276	Other crude minerals	923	411	50	461	1,395	205	28	232
	Total, Division 27	12,723	8,755	59	8,814	1,524	238	32	271
28	Metalliferous ores and metal scrap								
281	Iron ore and concentrates	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	50,890	39,459	2,161	41,619
282	Iron and steel waste and scrap	(b)				664	199	3	202
283	Ores and concentrates of non-ferrous base metals	22	2		2	12,748	7,853	725	8,578
284	Non-ferrous metal waste and scrap, n.e.i.	78		29	29	1,979	71	218	288
285	Silver and platinum ores					9	36		36
286	Uranium and thorium ores and concentrates					170	62		62
	Total, Division 28	101	2	29	32	66,461	47,680	3,106	50,786
29	Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.i.								
291	Crude animal materials, n.e.i.	484	26	73	99	1,072	238	93	331
292	Crude vegetable materials, n.e.i.	468	91	118	209	973	274	38	311
	Total, Division 29	952	117	191	309	2,044	512	130	642
	TOTAL, SECTION 2	18,031	10,838	366	11,204	214,889	110,494	5,735	116,229
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRI- CANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS								
32	Coal, coke and briquettes								
321	Coal, coke and briquettes	768	4	336	340	17	7		7
	Total, Division 32	768	4	336	340	17	7		7
33	Petroleum and petroleum products								
331	Petroleum, crude and partly refined	30,664	14,061	540	14,601	} 36,553 {	{ 220 3,910 }	} 14,700 {	18,830
332	Petroleum products	8,562	3,060	870	3,930				
	Total, Division 33	39,226	17,121	1,410	18,531	36,553	4,130	14,700	18,830
34	Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons								
341	Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons	58		35	35				
	Total, Division 34	58		35	35				
	TOTAL, SECTION 3	40,051	17,125	1,781	18,906	36,570	4,136	14,700	18,836

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No. 24—Value of Trade according to Commodity Section, Division and Group—continued

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Section, Division and Group No.	Description	IMPORTS			EXPORTS (a)				
		1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967		1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967			
			Overseas	Inter- state		Total	Overseas	Inter- state	Total
4	ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE OILS AND FATS								
41	Animal oils and fats								
411	Animal oils and fats	15	(b)	7	7	2,102	1,060	3	1,063
	Total, Division 41	15	(b)	7	7	2,102	1,060	3	1,063
42	Fixed vegetable oils and fats								
421	Fixed vegetable oils and fats, soft....	517	199	18	217	3	1	(b)	1
422	Fixed vegetable oils and fats, other than soft	215	14	78	92
	Total, Division 42	732	213	95	309	3	1	(b)	1
43	Animal and vegetable oils and fats, processed, and waxes of animal or vegetable origin								
431	Animal and vegetable oils and fats, processed, and waxes of animal or vegetable origin	254	4	152	156	81	19	(b)	19
	Total, Division 43	254	4	152	156	81	19	(b)	19
	TOTAL, SECTION 4	1,001	218	255	472	2,187	1,080	4	1,083
5	CHEMICALS								
51	Chemical elements and compounds								
512	Organic chemicals	3,517	1,035	328	1,363	275	63	73	137
513	Inorganic chemicals; elements, metallic oxides, halogen salts, sulphides and acids of non-metals or metalloids	3,835	719	438	1,156	17,844	9,042	2,153	11,195
514	Other inorganic chemicals	2,062	511	422	933	(b)	2	(b)	2
515	Radioactive and associated materials	11	1	(b)	1
	Total, Division 51	9,426	2,266	1,188	3,453	18,119	9,107	2,226	11,333
52	Mineral tar and crude chemicals from coal, petroleum and natural gas								
21	Mineral tar and crude chemicals from coal, petroleum and natural gas	73	1	23	23	1
	Total, Division 52	73	1	23	23	1
53	Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials								
531	Synthetic organic dyestuffs; natural indigo and colour lakes	164	45	11	56	11	(b)	(b)
532	Dyeing and tanning extracts, and synthetic tanning materials	99	26	13	39	2,325	979	173	1,152
533	Pigments, paints, varnishes and related materials	3,385	94	1,289	1,383				
	Total, Division 53	3,648	165	1,313	1,478	2,336	979	173	1,152
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products								
541	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	11,446	85	4,099	4,184	50	7	6	13
	Total, Division 54	11,446	85	4,099	4,184	50	7	6	13

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No. 24—Value of Trade according to Commodity Section, Division and Group—*continued*NOTE—See letterpress *External Trade* on page 2.

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Section, Division and Group No.	Description	IMPORTS				EXPORTS (a)			
		1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967			1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967		
			Overseas	Inter- state	Total		Overseas	Inter- state	Total
5	CHEMICALS— <i>continued</i>								
55	Essential oils and perfume materials; toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations								
551	Essential oils, perfume and flavour materials	442	83	77	160	437	100	141	241
553	Perfumery and cosmetics, dentifrices and other toilet preparations (except soaps)	5,457	18	2,279	2,297	23	1	8	9
554	Soaps, cleansing and polishing preparations	5,223	107	2,205	2,312	36	15	4	18
	Total, Division 55	11,121	209	4,561	4,769	496	116	152	268
56	Fertilisers, manufactured								
561	Fertilisers, manufactured	1,832	638	59	698	17
	Total, Division 56	1,832	638	59	698	17
57	Explosives and pyrotechnic products								
571	Explosives and pyrotechnic products	3,362	510	649	1,159	10	4	4
	Total, Division 57	3,362	510	649	1,159	10	4	4
58	Plastic materials, regenerated cellulose and artificial resins								
581	Plastic materials, regenerated cellulose and artificial resins	5,737	693	1,479	2,172	246	1	9	11
	Total, Division 58	5,737	693	1,479	2,172	246	1	9	11
59	Chemical materials and products, n.e.i.								
599	Chemical materials and products, n.e.i.	8,378	1,608	3,090	4,698	811	15	108	122
	Total, Division 59	8,378	1,608	3,090	4,698	811	15	108	122
	TOTAL, SECTION 5	55,023	6,175	16,459	22,634	22,087	10,230	2,674	12,904
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL								
61	Leather, leather manufactures, n.e.i., and dressed fur skins								
611	Leather	649	11	60	71	469	81	90	171
612	Manufactures of leather or artificial leather, n.e.i.	308	29	210	239	22	2	3	4
613	Furskins, tanned or dressed (including dyed)	82	51	51	(b)
	Total, Division 61	1,039	40	321	361	491	82	93	175
62	Rubber manufactures, n.e.i.								
621	Materials of rubber	2,482	42	865	907	60	4	2	5
629	Articles of rubber, n.e.i.	14,688	2,116	4,657	6,773	1,024	14	105	119
	Total, Division 62	17,169	2,158	5,522	7,681	1,084	17	107	124
63	Wood and cork manufactures (excluding furniture)								
631	Veneers, plywood boards, "improved" or re-constituted wood, n.e.i.	1,422	75	618	693	1,154	29	593	622
632	Wood manufactures, n.e.i.	553	93	158	251	53	22	19	41
633	Cork manufactures	70	11	5	17	482	26	230	256
	Total, Division 63	2,045	179	782	961	1,689	77	842	919

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Section, Division and Group No.	Description	IMPORTS			EXPORTS (a)					
		1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967		1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967				
			Overseas	Inter- state		Total	Overseas	Inter- state	Total	
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL—continued									
64	Paper, paperboard and manu- factures thereof									
641	Paper and paperboard	7,692	1,391	1,888	3,279	23	3	884	887	
642	Articles made of paper pulp, paper or paperboard	4,730	86	2,201	2,286	323	3	202	206	
	Total, Division 64	12,422	1,477	4,089	5,566	345	7	1,086	1,093	
65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made- up articles and related pro- ducts									
651	Textile yarn and thread....	1,626	102	248	350	3	2	1	3	
652	Woven cotton fabrics, not including narrow or special fabrics	9,378	848	2,493	3,882	262	1	102	108	
653	Textile fabrics (not includ- ing narrow or special fabrics) other than cotton fabrics									541
654	Tulle, lace, embroidery, ribbons, trimmings and other small wares									
655	Special textile fabrics and related products	654	86	183	269	7	2	2	
656	Made-up articles, wholly or chiefly of textile materials, n.e.i.	2,029	241	308	549	38	3	(b)	3	
657	Floor coverings and the like	9,138	1,190	1,421	2,611	230	12	15	27	
	like	5,290	604	1,740	2,344	29	(b)	23	23	
	Total, Division 65	28,115	3,612	6,393	10,005	569	23	143	167	
66	Non-metallic mineral manu- factures, n.e.i.									
661	Lime, cement and fabri- cated building materials, except of glass and clay materials	540	78	184	262	48	6	4	10	
662	Clay construction materials and refractory construc- tion materials	990	269	133	402	33	9	(b)	9	
663	Non-metallic mineral manu- factures, n.e.i.	1,390	114	441	555	296	19	100	120	
664	Glass	1,619	323	268	591	6	2	1	3	
665	Glassware	1,389	215	888	1,103	3	6	(b)	6	
666	Pottery	844	248	152	400	291	(b)	(b)	(b)	
667	Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones, not mounted	87	6	19	25	463	6	6	
	Total, Division 66	6,860	1,253	2,084	3,337	1,140	48	105	153	
67	Iron and steel									
671	Pig iron, spiegeleisen, sponge iron, and ferro-alloys	121	56	21	78	2,092	1,029	90	1,119	
672	Ingots and other primary forms of iron or steel	10,327	5,984	5,984	2	
673	Iron and steel bars, rods, angles, shapes and sec- tions	6,768	124	3,478	3,602	13,309	57	4,726	4,783	
674	Universals, plates and sheets of iron or steel	15,017	490	6,204	6,694	56	11	5	16	
675	Hoop and strip of iron or steel	858	19	206	225	10	(b)	1	2	
676	Railway and tramway track construction material	3,549	169	3,509	3,678	20	
677	Iron and steel wire, exclud- ing wire rod	2,553	23	946	969	2	1	1	
678	Tubes, pipes and fittings of iron or steel	8,799	1,593	3,412	5,005	142	28	65	93	
679	Iron and steel castings and forgings, unworked, n.e.i.	246	257	257	26	6	(b)	6	
	Total, Division 67	48,239	2,474	24,018	26,492	15,658	1,131	4,888	6,020	

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Section, Division and Group No.	Description	IMPORTS			EXPORTS (a)				
		1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967		1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967			
			Overseas	Inter- state		Total	Overseas	Inter- state	Total
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL—continued								
68	Non-ferrous metals								
681	Silver and silver alloys, and platinum and platinum group metals	72	4	47	50	1,888	150	558	709
682	Copper and copper-base alloys	5,977	9	2,376	2,385	10	3	(b)	4
683	Nickel and nickel-base alloys	99	50	11	62	1
684	Aluminium and aluminium- base alloys	2,640	17	1,276	1,293	28	6	6	12
685	Lead and lead-base alloys	294	2	177	179	4	4	4
686	Zinc and zinc-base alloys	383	(b)	136	137	7
687	Tin and tin-base alloys	121	(b)	33	33	(b)
688	Uranium and thorium and their alloys
689	Miscellaneous non-ferrous base metals and their alloys	298	4	98	102	6	(b)	(b)
	Total, Division 68	9,882	86	4,155	4,240	1,944	163	565	728
69	Manufactures of metal, n.e.i.								
691	Finished structural parts and structures, n.e.i.	3,518	11	1,753	1,764	265	26	88	113
692	Metal containers for storage and transport	1,134	109	216	325	114	62	4	66
693	Wire products (excluding insulated electric cables) and fencing grills	2,449	87	621	709	133	10	31	41
694	Nails, screws, nuts, bolts, rivets and similar articles of iron, steel or copper	2,157	68	831	899	12	6	4	9
695	Tools for use in the hand or machines	5,460	717	1,276	1,993	69	24	3	26
696	Cutlery	1,426	150	311	461	17	2	2
697	Household equipment of base metals	3,208	106	943	1,048	461	1	140	141
698	Manufactures of metal, n.e.i.	7,364	648	2,723	3,371	916	109	236	345
	Total, Division 69	26,716	1,896	8,673	10,569	1,987	236	507	744
	TOTAL, SECTION 6	152,488	13,175	56,037	69,212	24,906	1,785	8,337	10,122
7	MACHINERY AND TRANS- PORT EQUIPMENT								
71	Machinery, other than elec- tric								
711	Power generating machin- ery, other than electric	8,142	3,968	1,370	5,337	1,187	334	7	340
712	Agricultural machinery and implements and parts	*19,611	4,239	6,210	10,449	*6,880	25	2,696	2,721
714	Office machines	3,333	606	670	1,276	382	17	70	87
715	Metal working machinery	2,285	592	730	1,321	211	60	212	272
717	Textile and leather machin- ery	1,278	209	353	562	70	3	39	42
718	Machines for special indus- tries	*12,821	4,094	4,049	8,143	1,708	422	361	782
719	Machinery and appliances (non-electrical) and parts, n.e.i.	*23,227	4,561	8,168	12,728	2,091	487	614	1,101
	Total, Division 71	*70,697	18,268	21,550	39,818	*12,530	1,348	3,998	5,345
72	Electrical machinery, ap- paratus and appliances								
722	Electric power machinery and switchgear	*7,811	2,524	2,864	5,389	452	57	201	258
723	Equipment for distributing electricity	*5,233	298	2,681	2,979	19	7	1	8
724	Telecommunication ap- paratus	12,037	596	5,621	6,217	29	9	9
725	Domestic electrical equip- ment	13,100	222	5,127	5,349	88	2	29	32
726	Electric apparatus for medical purposes	295	37	63	100	32	14	3	17
729	Other electrical machinery and apparatus	6,783	620	2,061	2,681	92	15	2	17
	Total, Division 72	45,259	4,298	18,418	22,715	712	105	236	341

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Section, Division and Group No.	Description	IMPORTS				EXPORTS (a)			
		1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967			1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967		
			Overseas	Inter- state	Total		Overseas	Inter- state	Total
7	MACHINERY AND TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT— <i>continued</i>								
73	Transport equipment								
731	Railway and tramway vehicles	6,822	1,030	179	1,208	412	40	83	123
732	Road motor vehicles	*71,387	6,815	26,537	33,352	*795	126	163	289
733	Road vehicles, other than motor vehicles	1,437	215	339	554	156	(b)	5	6
734	Aircraft and parts, n.e.i.	3,981	176	713	890	336	34	34
735	Ships, boats and floating structures	971	3,074	193	3,267	598	1,077	1,077
	Total, Division 73	*84,599	11,311	27,961	39,272	*2,297	1,278	251	1,529
	TOTAL, SECTION 7	200,555	33,877	67,929	101,806	15,539	2,730	4,485	7,215
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES								
81	Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings								
812	Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings	2,883	82	993	1,075	157	20	52	72
	Total, Division 81	2,883	82	993	1,075	157	20	52	72
82	Furniture								
821	Furniture	2,883	104	936	1,040	1,264	60	278	338
	Total, Division 82	2,883	104	936	1,040	1,264	60	278	338
83	Travel goods, handbags and similar articles								
831	Travel goods, handbags and similar articles	1,279	145	540	685	2	(b)	1	1
	Total, Division 83	1,279	145	540	685	2	(b)	1	1
84	Clothing and clothing accessories and articles of knitted or crocheted fabric								
841	Clothing and accessories (except of fur)	37,935	190	14,839	15,029	1,036	22	493	515
842	Fur clothing (not including head gear) and other articles made of fur skins	82	1	79	80	(b)	(b)	(b)
	Total, Division 84	38,017	192	14,918	15,110	1,036	22	493	515
85	Footwear, gaiters and similar articles								
851	Footwear, gaiters and similar articles	8,323	263	3,917	4,180	1,396	(b)	593	593
	Total, Division 85	8,323	263	3,917	4,180	1,396	(b)	593	593
86	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods, watches and clocks								
861	Scientific, medical, optical, measuring and controlling instruments and apparatus	5,052	677	1,566	2,242	305	31	47	78
862	Photographic and cinematographic supplies	1,636	54	670	724	6	6	3	9
863	Cinematographic film, exposed and developed	44	26	6	32	11	5	5
864	Watches and clocks and parts thereof	1,057	174	350	524	3	1	1
	Total, Division 86	7,790	930	2,592	3,522	324	42	51	93

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No. 24—Value of Trade according to Commodity Section, Division and Group—*continued*NOTE—See letterpress *External Trade* on page 2.

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Section, Division and Group No.	Description	IMPORTS				EXPORTS (a)			
		1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967			1966-67	Six Months ended December 1967		
			Overseas	Inter- state	Total		Overseas	Inter- state	Total
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES— <i>continued</i>								
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.i.								
891	Musical instruments, sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories therefor	2,160	309	813	1,121	14	1	1
892	Printed matter	5,537	848	1,390	2,239	81	86	2	88
893	Articles of artificial resins and plastic materials	5,065	151	1,849	2,000	156	1	30	32
894	Perambulators, toys, games and sporting goods	3,780	570	1,319	1,889	138	3	26	29
895	Office and stationery supplies, n.e.i.	1,210	85	477	561	5	(b)	(b)	(b)
896	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	325	32	4	36	18	6	6
897	Jewellery and goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares	1,138	52	462	514	6	(b)	(b)
899	Manufactured articles, n.e.i.	4,764	208	2,854	3,062	123	6	40	46
	Total, Division 89	23,979	2,255	9,168	11,423	542	103	98	202
	TOTAL, SECTION 8	85,154	3,972	33,064	37,035	4,721	248	1,566	1,814
9	COMMODITIES AND TRANSACTIONS NOT CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO KIND								
99	Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind								
990	Gold bullion	102	71	(b)	71	15,107	7,986	7,986
991	Gold ores and concentrates	47
999	Other commodities and transactions, n.e.i.	8,397	3,034	14	3,048	5,814	1,717	32	1,749
	Total, Division 99	8,499	3,105	14	3,119	20,968	1,717	8,018	9,736
	TOTAL, SECTION 9	8,499	3,105	14	3,119	20,968	1,717	8,018	9,736
	GRAND TOTAL	632,350	92,191	200,814	293,005	537,355	217,246	47,011	264,257

(a) Excludes ships' stores. For details, see Table 27.

(b) Less than \$500.

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No. 25—Principal Imports : Selected Commodities

NOTE—See letterpress *External Trade* on page 2.

Division Reference No.	Description	Unit	1966-67		Six Months ended December 1967			
			Quantity	Value	Over- seas	Inter- state	Total	
					Value	Value	Quantity	Value
00	Animals, live	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
11	Beverages, alcoholic—	4,768	(a)	637	637
	Distilled	'000 pf gal	257	1,798	346	515	122	862
	Other	'000 gal	1,393	2,502	27	1,133	548	1,160
57	Explosives	3,362	510	649	1,159
27, 56	Fertilisers	ton	861,596	9,194	5,616	65	524,484	5,681
	Food—
02	Cheese	'000 lb	4,962	1,849	119	418	1,411	537
07	Coffee	'000 lb	1,347	1,875	75	918	793	992
06, 07	Confectionery	'000 lb	13,374	5,718	49	2,208	4,516	2,257
03	Fish and fish preparations	'000 lb	7,923	2,338	924	217	3,778	1,141
05	Fruit—
	Bananas	cental (b)	84,802	802	395	34,159	395
	Other, fresh or preserved	3,416	36	1,236	1,272
09	Margarine	'000 lb	5,883	1,349	(a)	521	2,635	521
01	Meat and meat preparations	'000 lb	5,776	2,180	12	482	1,556	494
02	Milk and cream	'000 lb	12,901	3,467	2	1,482	5,423	1,484
07	Tea	'000 lb	5,497	2,153	792	136	2,399	929
05	Vegetables, fresh or preserved	3,733	207	1,251	1,457
	Other food	21,598	998	7,807	8,805
85	Footwear	*8,323	263	3,917	4,180
82	Furniture	2,833	104	936	1,040
66	Glass and glassware	3,008	538	1,156	1,694
83	Handbags and travel goods	1,279	145	540	685
	Machinery—
72	Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances—
	Batteries	2,314	63	731	793
	Household electrical—
	Cooking and heating	*3,559	15	1,285	1,300
	Refrigerators	number	21,206	4,172	91	1,704	9,975	1,795
	Washing machines	number	21,132	2,751	13	1,185	9,492	1,199
	Power machinery and switchgear	*7,811	2,524	2,864	5,389
	Telecommunication apparatus—
	Radio broadcast receivers	*1,821	64	710	774
	Television receivers	3,963	1	1,019	1,020
	Other	6,253	532	3,892	4,424
71	Wire and cable, insulated	4,900	142	2,591	2,733
	Other than electric—
	Agricultural, except tractors	12,479	501	4,978	5,480
	Excavating, levelling, tamping and boring, for earth, minerals or ores
	Internal combustion engines	5,974	3,249	3,091	6,340
	Lifting, handling, loading or un- loading	5,978	3,462	1,249	4,711
	Metal working	2,583	623	1,019	1,642
	Office	2,285	592	730	1,321
	Pumps for liquids	3,333	606	670	1,276
	Tractors	2,396	308	594	902
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	7,132	3,738	1,232	4,970
69	Metal manufactures, n.e.i.—	11,446	85	4,099	4,184
	Household cooking and heating appli- ances, non-electrical	1,932	24	521	544
	Nails, screws, nuts, bolts, rivets	2,157	68	831	899
	Tools	5,460	717	1,276	1,993
	Metals—
67	Iron and steel—
	Pig, ingot and other primary forms	ton	173,388	10,448	56	6,006	100,045	6,062
	Other	37,791	2,418	18,012	20,430
68	Non-ferrous	9,882	86	4,155	4,240
66	Mineral manufactures, non-metallic, n.e.i.	3,851	715	928	1,643
64	Paper, paper board and manufactures thereof
33	Petroleum and petroleum products—	12,422	1,477	4,089	5,566
	Crude	'000 gal	720,083	27,721	13,816	366,994	13,816
	Other	11,505	3,305	1,410	4,714
53	Pigments, paints and varnishes	3,384	94	1,289	1,383
89	Plastic articles, n.e.i.	5,065	151	1,849	2,000
58	Plastic materials	5,737	693	1,479	2,172
89	Printed matter	5,537	848	1,390	2,239
86	Scientific, medical, optical and photo- graphic equipment, n.e.i.
55	Soap and cleansing preparations	6,732	756	2,242	2,998
89	Sporting goods	4,541	106	2,041	2,147
	Textiles and textile manufactures—	1,466	159	517	677
65	Bags and sacks	dozen	776,387	3,680	932	29	266,364	961
65	Floor coverings—
	Linoleum and the like	486	67	166	233
	Other	4,767	537	1,574	2,111
84	Clothing and clothing accessories	38,017	192	14,918	15,110
65	Fabrics	12,062	1,716	2,984	4,700
24	Timber	'000 sup. ft	18,041	1,612	1,291	14	13,295	1,305
12	Tobacco and manufactures thereof	11,954	119	5,550	5,669
55	Toilet preparations	5,457	18	2,279	2,297
89	Toys	1,732	358	633	991
73	Transport equipment	84,599	11,311	27,961	39,272
62	Tyres and tubes	12,683	2,037	3,986	6,023
	All other commodities	*117,325	20,752	32,423	53,176
	TOTAL IMPORTS	632,350	92,191	200,814	293,005

(a) Less than \$500

(b) Cental = 100 lb

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No. 26—Principal Exports : Selected Commodities (a)

NOTE—See letterpress *External Trade* on page 2.

Division Reference No.	Description	Unit	Six Months ended December 1967					
			1966-67		Over- seas	Inter- state	Total	
			Quantity	Value			Quantity	Value
				\$'000	\$'000	\$'000		\$'000
29	Animal casings (sausage) and the like	809	159	93	252
00	Animals, live—							
	Cattle	number	5,135	381	42	97	1,729	139
	Sheep	number	201,480	1,771	1,017	116,670	1,017
29	Clover seed	'000 lb	3,824	529	38	37	637	75
	Food—							
04	Cereals and cereal preparations—							
	Barley, unmilled	'000 bush	4,886	5,464	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
	Flour of wheat	sh. ton (c)	38,364	2,507	1,727	54	27,887	1,781
	Oats, unmilled	'000 bush	10,513	8,608	3,184	2	3,942	3,186
	Wheat, unmilled	'000 bush	*84,978	126,918	61,213	(b)	42,613	61,213
06	Confectionery, except chocolate	'000 lb	1,955	537	12	216	869	228
02	Eggs in shell	141	164	164
03	Fish and fish preparations—							
	Fresh, chilled or frozen—							
	Crayfish tails	'000 lb	8,032	13,873	2,995	1,554	2,995
	Other	'000 lb	3,424	2,997	1,981	90	2,233	2,070
	Other fish and fish preparations	'000 lb	3,224	891	1	23	50	24
05	Fruit—							
	Currents	'000 lb	1,789	279	174	(b)	1,048	174
	Fresh—							
	Apples	'000 bush	1,517	5,003	256	1	68	257
	Other	'000 lb	701	71	(b)	71
06	Honey	'000 lb	7,505	848	131	5	795	137
01	Meat and meat preparations—							
	Fresh, chilled or frozen—							
	Beef and veal	'000 lb	37,284	11,987	7,211	23	20,080	7,234
	Lamb	'000 lb	2,883	609	219	42	1,047	261
	Mutton	'000 lb	18,395	3,114	2,000	6	11,356	2,006
	Pigmeat	'000 lb	1,245	470	75	186	663	261
	Other (d)	'000 lb	6,596	1,422	752	53	4,349	806
	Other meat and meat preparations	253	42	101	143
02	Milk and cream	205	91	12	103
05	Vegetables, fresh—							
	Beans (e)	cental (f)	22,443	325	1	67	1
	Onions	cwt	36,345	112	1	32	11,560	33
	Potatoes	cwt	344,048	692	54	11	14,440	64
	Tomatoes	cental (f)	13,489	124	9	1,063	9
	Other (g)	756	355	5	360
	Other food	3,373	857	435	1,292
85	Footwear	1,396	(b)	593	593
99	Gold bullion	'000 fine oz	480	15,107	7,986	253	7,986
61	Leather	469	81	90	171
	Machinery—							
72	Electrical—							
	Power machinery and switchgear	452	57	201	258
71	Other than electrical—							
	Agricultural, except tractors	2,257	10	614	624
	Sorting, screening, crushing, mixing, for earth, stone, ores or other mineral substances	1,164	185	300	485
	Tractors	4,623	15	2,082	2,097
	Metals—							
67	Iron and steel (h)	'000 tons	190	15,658	1,131	4,888	74	6,020
68	Silver	'000 fine oz	1,499	1,888	150	558	451	709
28	Waste and scrap	'000 cwt	635	2,644	270	221	188	491
27	Minerals, crude—Asbestos	ton	5,890	1,229	(b)	(b)
28	Ores, metalliferous—							
	Copper	'000 cwt	40	351	566	67	566
	Ilmenite	'000 tons	422	4,440	2,014	136	216	2,149
	Iron, including pyritic cinders	'000 tons	8,395	50,890	39,459	2,161	5,521	41,619
	Lead and zinc	'000 cwt	63	177	19	8	19
	Manganese	'000 tons	190	4,161	1,924	95	1,924
	Tin	'000 cwt	362	2,214	793	589	22	1,382
	Other	'000 cwt	614	1,586	2,635	607	2,635
64	Paper, paper board and manufactures thereof	345	7	1,086	1,093
33	Petroleum and petroleum products	36,553	4,130	14,700	18,830
62	Rubber manufactures	1,034	17	107	124
21	Skins and hides—							
	Bovine	'000 lb	7,755	1,374	386	190	4,617	576
	Sheep and lamb	'000 lb	12,626	3,762	1,512	22	7,171	1,534
	Other	242	74	40	114
41	Tallow	'000 cwt	206	1,544	632	3	102	635
53	Tanning substances	491	282	16	298
	Textiles—							
84	Clothing and accessories	1,036	22	493	515
65	Fabrics	306	9	104	113
24	Timber—							
	Sleepers, railway	'000 sup. ft	31,796	3,985	480	25	3,537	505
	Other	'000 sup. ft	27,163	3,490	479	695	8,335	1,174
73	Transport equipment	2,297	1,278	251	1,529
63	Veneers, plywood boards and reconsti- tuted wood	1,154	29	593	622

For footnotes, see end of table.

No. 26—Principal Exports : Selected Commodities (a)—continued

NOTE—See letterpress *External Trade* on page 2.

Division Reference No.	Description	Unit	1966-67		Six Months ended December 1967			
			Quantity	Value	Overseas	Inter-state	Total	
					Value	Value	Quantity	Value
				\$'000	\$'000	\$'000		\$'000
26	Wool—							
	Greasy (including slupe)	'000 lb	214,064	114,052	52,555	1,432	14,752	53,987
	Degreased (washed, scoured, etc.)	'000 lb	21,578	12,943	4,752	49	9,714	4,800
	Other	'000 lb	3,057	2,994	1,220	1,320	1,220
	All other commodities	43,299	15,242	5,261	20,503
	TOTAL EXPORTS	537,355	217,246	47,011	264,257

(a) Excludes ships' stores. For details, see Table 27. (b) Less than 500. (c) Short ton = 2,000 lb.
 (d) Includes edible offals, poultry, rabbits, and goat and kangaroo meats. (e) Overseas exports included in "Other fresh vegetables". (f) Cental = 100 lb. (g) Includes overseas exports of beans; see note (e). (h) For details, see Division 67 on page 21. * Revised.

No. 27—Exports in the form of Ships' Stores (a)

Description	Unit	1966-67 (b)		Six Months ended December 1967			
		Quantity	Value	Overseas	Interstate	Total	
				Value	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$'000	\$'000	\$'000		\$'000
Beverages, alcoholic—							
Ale, beer and porter	gal	157,159	137	72	2	84,943	75
Wines, spirits, liqueurs, etc.	gal	36,493	94	64	19,116	64
Foodstuffs—							
Fresh, chilled or frozen—							
Eggs in shell	doz	245,997	155	58	6	99,539	64
Fish	lb	436,659	278	105	3	155,100	109
Fruit	156	44	3	47
Meat	lb	3,417,867	894	357	20	926,544	376
Vegetables	353	136	10	146
All other foodstuffs	424	184	14	198
Fuel for ships and aircraft—							
Coal	ton	1,105	23	4	26	1,495	30
Other (bunker oil, etc.)	'000 gal	96,784	7,380	4,619	440	64,001	5,059
Lubricants	195	168	168
All other ships' stores	849	548	18	565
Total	10,936	6,359	542	6,901

(a) Where the value of overseas ships' stores recorded in any one entry is less than \$100, the stores concerned are not allocated according to commodity, but are included in "All other ships' stores". (b) Includes interstate ships' stores valued at \$931,492.

V—CUSTOMS AND EXCISE COLLECTIONS

No. 28—Gross Collections at each Customs Station
(\$'000)

Customs Stations at	1965-66	1966-67			Six Months ended December 1967		
	Total	Customs	Excise	Total	Customs	Excise	Total
Port of Fremantle (a)	64,249	12,364	54,206	66,570	7,578	28,813	36,391
Other Ports—							
Albany	1,046	1	1,131	1,133	1	592	594
Broome	1	14	40	54	(b) 56	(b) 52	(b) 109
Bunbury (c)	1,542	5	1,731	1,735	4	877	881
Dampier (d)	570	713	713	211	211
Derby (e)	1	(f) 16	6	22	48	48
Esperance	25	25	(f) 245	245
Exmouth (g)	(h) 46	(h) 46
Geraldton	849	61	935	996	2	547	550
Onslow
Point Samson
Port Hedland (i)	368	230	101	331	625	78	703
Wyndham	2	9	9	(j) 90	(j) 90	(j) 90
Parcels Post	158	156	156
Total	4,538	1,205	3,969	5,174	1,084	2,392	3,476
Grand Total	68,787	13,569	58,176	71,745	8,662	31,205	39,867

(a) For the purpose of this table, includes Perth and Kwinana. (b) Includes Wyndham. (c) Includes Busselton. (d) Includes Point Samson. (e) Includes Yampi. (f) Less than \$500. (g) Includes Carnarvon and Onslow. (h) Figures relate to the three months ended December 1967. (i) Includes Barrow Island. (j) Included with Broome.

VI—LAND SETTLEMENT

No. 29—Occupation of Land

Particulars		Area
Absolutely Alienated—		acres
Area sold by public auction or other forms of direct sale, or otherwise alienated, up to 31 December 1967		31,935,704
In Process of Alienation on 31 December 1967—		
Free Homestead Farms		302,087
Conditional Purchase		14,903,009
Agricultural Land Purchases		215,530
Town and Suburban Lots		2,610
Crown Grants of Reserves		66,374
Total		15,489,610
Total area alienated or in process of alienation at 31 December 1967		47,425,314
Leases or Licences in Force on 31 December 1967—		
Issued by—		
Lands Department: Pastoral Leases		237,164,732
Special Leases		4,131,326
Leases of Reserves		1,058,917
Residential Lots		4,400
Perpetual Leases		1,911,101
Mines Department: Gold-mining Leases (a)		19,278
Mineral Leases (a)		45,895
Miners' Homestead Leases		34,109
Forests Department: Timber Permits (b)		4,168,457
Total area of leases and licences		248,538,215
Balance of Area		376,050,585
Total Area of Western Australia		624,588,800

(a) Includes leases on private property.

(b) Includes permits for cutting wandoor for tannin extraction amounting to 19,604 acres, but excludes permits and licences for cutting timber and firewood in Goldfields areas.

No. 30—Crown Lands : Area of Allocations Approved by Department of Lands and Surveys
(Acres)

Period	Conditional Alienation					Leases and Licences			
	Condi- tional Purchases	Agri- cultural Land Purchases	Town and Suburban Lots	Miscel- laneous (a)	Total	Pastoral Leases and Licences	Special Leases	Miscel- laneous Leases (b)	Total
Year—									
1963	1,183,247	246	672	3,528	1,187,693	3,859,374	1,101,293	110,432	5,071,099
1964	887,007	2,262	1,340	20,276	910,885	831,631	105,074	180,665	1,117,370
1965	1,077,764		290	260	1,078,314	2,434,099	87,320	48,279	2,569,698
1966	910,263		400	44,487	961,150	3,593,254	179,972	452,730	4,225,956
1967	1,087,583	611	792	43,769	1,132,755	4,232,887	143,857	56,041	4,432,785
Quarter—									
1968—									
March	138,636		45	3,133	141,814	39,631	14,777	2,526	56,934

(a) Comprises Free Homestead Farms and Reserves.
leases of town and suburban lots.

(b) Comprises perpetual leases, leases of reserves and

VII—PRODUCTION

No. 31—Estimated Net Value of Production

Net Value of Production is the sum available for payment of wages, interest, rent, depreciation, other overhead costs, and for the producer's own income and profit. For Primary Production it is obtained by deducting from the value realised at the principal market all marketing costs and the cost of goods used in production (seed, fertiliser, picking, sprays, dips, fodder, fuel and oil, etc.). For Manufacturing, it is obtained by deducting from the selling value at the factory door the cost of goods consumed in the process of production (i.e., materials used, fuel, power and light, lubricating oil and water, repairs to plant and buildings, tools replaced and containers and packing).

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Year	Agri- culture	Pastoral	Dairying	Poultry Farm- ing	Bee Keeping	Trapping	Forestry	Fishing and Whaling	Mining and Quarry- ing	Total Primary	Manu- facturing
1957-58	54,676	(a) 73,895	6,872	1,048	486	120	10,224	5,977	29,778	(a) 183,077	150,625
1958-59	85,492	(a) 61,163	5,653	1,003	437	93	10,134	7,101	23,908	(a) 199,991	157,524
1959-60	83,087	79,319	7,866	941	323	202	10,170	7,458	29,530	223,895	172,747
1960-61	93,415	79,955	8,796	1,053	303	479	10,335	7,244	30,888	232,468	193,262
1961-62	102,651	82,657	8,738	1,209	495	373	10,382	10,256	31,106	247,867	196,083
1962-63	108,506	82,579	9,014	1,787	532	293	10,163	10,703	32,244	255,821	216,422
1963-64	79,619	123,545	10,520	1,345	849	434	10,735	8,926	30,697	266,670	230,511
1964-65	92,800	101,069	12,601	1,589	519	678	11,334	13,973	32,163	266,726	260,637
1965-66	*134,494	129,772	13,031	3,253	643	*662	11,965	14,478	35,192	363,490	288,803
1966-67	*154,321	*126,049	*11,060	3,801	442	758	*11,987	*14,975	*63,811	*387,704	*335,788

(a) Excludes amounts paid as distributions of profits under the 1939-1945 War-time Wool Disposals Plan, for which separate State figures are not available for distributions made from 1957-58 to 1958-59, when payments were virtually completed. * Revised.

VIII—MINERAL PRODUCTION

No. 32—Production of Minerals as Reported to the Department of Mines

(Information compiled from statements published by the Western Australian Department of Mines)

Mineral	Unit of Quantity	1965		1966		1967	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Alumina	ton	148,468	\$'000 8,908	243,152	\$'000 14,589	405,225	\$'000 24,314
Asbestos—							
Chrysotile	"	402	58	119	19	76	3
Crocidolite	"	9,280	1,746	11,465	2,415
Barytes	"	751	6	1,810	27	962	22
Bentonite	"	921	4	564	3	112	1
Beryl	"	13	3	13	3	11	4
Coal	"	993,741	4,410	1,061,095	4,562	1,062,151	4,765
Copper Ore and Concentrates	"	2,052	255	3,268	518	3,093	552
Cupreous Ore (for fertiliser)	"	1,079	99	962	88	776	52
Felspar	"	1,384	19	1,282	18	342	5
Gold (a)	fine oz	659,437	(b) 20,722	628,777	(b) 19,765	576,021	(b) 18,072
Gypsum	ton	46,607	89	41,884	80	40,078	77
Iron Ore—							
Pig-iron recovered (c)	"	40,673	1,871	56,075	2,865	54,328	3,070
Ore exported (d)	"	2,240,939	4,445	4,166,330	10,059	9,079,460	67,523
Lead Ores and Concentrates	"	4,878	393	2,681	104	910	97
Lithium Ores—Petalite	"	310	5	933	14	667	10
Magnesite	"	199	3	135	2	1,258	12
Manganese	"	100,208	2,152	136,748	3,048	189,096	3,927
Mineral Beach Sands—							
Ilmenite	"	392,891	3,852	470,896	4,621	429,620	4,185
Monazite	"	1,068	104	1,895	221	1,417	178
Rutile	"	225	16	576	41	400	29
Leucoxene	"	484	22	756	31	598	30
Zircon	"	27,880	750	26,498	851	29,618	1,148
Nickel Concentrates	"	2,253	382
Ochre	"	187	2	207	4	261	5
Pyrites Ores and Concentrates	"	59,180	768	76,136	1,023	78,685	1,068
Semi-precious Stones	lb	655	1	62,872	8
Silver	fine oz	290,623	340	223,183	261	309,476	421
Talc	ton	7,088	205	9,155	232	7,901	227
Tanto-Columbite Ores and Concentrates	"	10	18	5	20	23	132
Tin Ores and Concentrates	"	676	1,557	589	1,232	1,239	2,359
Other (e)	"	1,003	1,036	1,100
Total Value	53,825	76,753	133,778

(a) Comprises gold refined at the Mint and gold contained in gold-bearing materials exported. (b) Includes payments by Gold Producers' Association Ltd. but excludes Commonwealth net subsidy paid to gold producers. (c) Comprises pig-iron recovered from ore smelted in Western Australia. (d) Comprises overseas and interstate exports. (e) Includes building stone, clays and limestone as reported to the Department of Mines. As some production on privately-owned land is not reported, Department of Mines records for these commodities are incomplete.

IX—LIVESTOCK AND WOOL PRODUCTION

No. 33—Number of Livestock and Wool Production

At 31 March—	Horses	Cattle			Sheep	Pigs	Year	Wool Production (a)
		For Production of Milk or Cream	Mainly for Meat Production	Total				
1963	No. 38,840	No. (b)	No. (b)	No. 1,297,746	No. 18,727,124	No. 130,791	1963	'000 lb 184,123
1964	39,285	(b)	(b)	1,298,874	20,164,868	128,140	1964	216,574
1965	36,753	220,023	1,038,404	1,258,427	22,391,834	137,192	1965	207,035
1966	35,447	209,459	1,061,767	1,271,226	24,426,808	144,022	1966	247,530
1967	(c)	199,130	1,157,912	1,357,042	27,370,386	160,983	1967	*272,575

(a) In terms of greasy wool. Comprises shorn wool, dead wool, fellmongered wool and wool exported on skins. Up to and including 1965, figures comprise shorn and dead wool for the year ended 31 March, and fellmongered wool and wool exported on skins for the year ended 30 June. The figures for 1966 and 1967 relate entirely to the year ended 30 June. (b) Separate details not available. (c) Not available. * Revised.

X—AGRICULTURE

No. 34—Rural Land Utilisation

Season	Active Rural Holdings (Number)	Cleared Land ('000 acres)						Uncleared Land ('000 acres)	Total Area of Holdings ('000 acres)
		Used for Crop (a)	Under Established Pasture	Newly Cleared, Prepared for next Season	In Fallow	Other, Used for Grazing or Resting	Total		
1957-58	21,598	5,511	6,426	616	1,460	8,807	22,820	213,847	236,667
1958-59	21,563	6,015	6,960	710	1,988	8,039	23,713	214,551	238,264
1959-60	21,832	6,382	7,359	726	1,921	8,232	24,621	219,998	244,619
1960-61	21,922	6,757	7,687	776	1,868	8,280	25,368	222,369	247,737
1961-62	22,082	6,976	8,132	889	1,746	8,469	26,261	226,522	252,783
1962-63	22,554	7,327	8,679	999	1,999	8,268	27,273	235,387	262,660
1963-64	22,770	6,706	9,510	1,133	1,712	9,202	28,263	238,293	266,556
1964-65	22,856	7,289	10,427	1,120	1,757	8,952	29,545	239,098	268,553
1965-66	22,853	8,449	11,382	1,194	1,942	7,931	30,898	239,156	270,054
1966-67	23,181	8,558	13,018	1,300	2,023	6,970	31,869	242,896	274,765

(a) Excludes meadow hay.

No. 35—Area of Principal Crops (Acres)

Season	Principal Grain Crops			Hay (all kinds)	Cotton	Po-tatoes	Onions	To-matoes	Orchard Fruit (a)	Vine Fruits
	Wheat	Oats	Barley							
1957-58	2,957,206	1,153,492	307,404	338,983	(b)	8,322	415	1,007	22,192	9,023
1958-59	3,291,858	1,329,742	321,493	332,613	(b)	7,213	397	990	22,903	8,881
1959-60	3,718,596	1,240,357	421,293	319,486	(b)	6,964	392	892	23,757	8,951
1960-61	4,021,225	1,329,804	540,646	284,038	(b)	6,656	465	839	23,913	8,864
1961-62	4,379,751	1,230,651	490,572	293,549	(b)	6,824	479	968	24,487	9,017
1962-63	4,803,797	1,177,491	390,282	339,833	(b)	6,499	509	942	25,204	8,685
1963-64	4,040,434	1,124,890	298,855	288,657	1,526	5,835	446	866	25,670	8,629
1964-65	5,151,267	1,151,969	302,633	304,610	5,475	5,797	428	722	26,425	8,310
1965-66	6,149,727	1,240,104	413,077	290,797	8,307	6,229	531	649	26,715	8,215
1966-67	6,346,613	1,203,815	373,099	295,082	11,892	6,100	413	691	26,458	7,945

(a) Includes plantation and berry fruits, etc.

(b) Not available for publication.

No. 36—Production of Principal Crops

Season	Principal Grain Crops			Hay (all kinds)	Cotton (a)	Potatoes	Onions	To-matoes	Apples	Dried Vine Fruits (Currants, Raisins, etc.)	Beverage Wine (b)
	Wheat	Oats	Barley								
	'000 bushels	'000 bushels	'000 bushels	tons	cwt	tons	tons	tons	'000 bushels	tons	gallons
1957-58	33,100	13,793	3,556	385,992	(c)	49,229	4,149	7,979	1,359	2,247	526,032
1958-59	57,650	22,585	5,410	455,160	(c)	47,103	5,043	8,379	1,550	1,149	520,595
1959-60	58,670	19,599	7,080	433,201	(c)	56,000	4,830	7,945	1,150	1,475	649,647
1960-61	63,900	21,810	8,496	381,010	(c)	45,500	5,826	8,190	2,053	2,034	556,101
1961-62	65,700	20,186	7,282	395,952	(c)	55,700	6,290	9,510	1,137	2,007	669,293
1962-63	72,500	18,572	6,056	452,951	(c)	56,900	6,622	8,426	1,977	1,276	636,026
1963-64	52,340	17,850	4,077	389,413	18,371	55,402	6,814	8,086	1,287	2,287	666,443
1964-65	63,071	14,011	3,701	390,305	96,341	60,739	5,981	7,286	2,355	2,439	612,756
1965-66	102,156	23,279	6,481	414,417	182,421	62,865	3,943	6,849	1,603	1,422	626,686
1966-67	103,195	22,117	6,707	417,363	262,500	64,169	5,417	7,398	2,387	1,420	704,886

(a) In terms of seed cotton.

(b) Excludes distillation wine.

(c) Not available for publication.

No. 37—Average Yield per Acre of Principal Crops

Season	Principal Grain Crops			Hay (all kinds)	Cotton (a)	Potatoes	Onions	Tomatoes	Apples
	Wheat	Oats	Barley						
	bushels	bushels	bushels	tons	cwt	tons	tons	tons	bushels
1957-58	11.2	12.0	11.6	1.1	(b)	5.9	10.0	7.9	123.4
1958-59	17.5	17.0	16.8	1.4	(b)	6.5	12.7	8.5	141.9
1959-60	15.8	15.8	16.8	1.4	(b)	8.0	12.3	8.9	106.4
1960-61	15.9	16.4	15.7	1.3	(b)	6.8	12.5	9.8	190.7
1961-62	15.0	16.4	14.8	1.3	(b)	8.2	13.1	9.8	106.7
1962-63	15.1	15.8	15.5	1.3	(b)	8.8	13.0	8.9	182.5
1963-64	11.3	15.9	13.6	1.3	12.4	9.5	15.3	9.3	118.2
1964-65	12.2	12.2	12.2	1.3	17.6	10.5	14.0	10.1	204.6
1965-66	16.6	18.8	15.7	1.4	22.0	10.1	11.9	10.6	136.3
1966-67	16.3	18.4	13.0	1.4	22.1	10.5	13.1	10.7	152.5

(a) In terms of seed cotton.

(b) Not available for publication.

XI—MANUFACTURING

No. 38—Production of Selected Commodities (a)

Commodity (b)	Unit	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67 (†)	Nine Months ended March	
						1967 (†)	1968 (†)
Aerated Waters	'000 gal	6,462	6,918	8,796	10,225	8,653	8,324
Bacon and Ham	'000 lb	8,468	8,921	9,605	10,361	7,971	8,736
Bath Heaters—Solid Fuel	number	4,717	4,621	4,498	4,296	3,321	3,082
Batteries—Automotive (c)—							
6 volt	number	(d)	8,086	8,456	9,106	6,470	7,003
12 volt	number	(d)	21,486	23,041	27,733	20,060	21,294
Boots, Shoes and Sandals (e)	pair	748,992	850,548	847,907	882,106	665,897	708,968
Bran	ton (2,000 lb)	27,502	25,452	21,524	19,575	13,645	15,650
Bread (2 lb loaf) (f)	'000	58,172	57,731	57,333	(g)	(h)	(h)
Bricks (i)	'000	155,792	146,057	140,611	162,574	117,163	151,734
Butter	'000 lb	15,491	17,387	18,133	14,424	12,053	10,981
Cakes, Pastry, Pies and Puddings	\$'000	3,793	4,181	4,714	(g)	(h)	(h)
Cardigans, Pullovers (All Types)	dozen	11,323	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
Cases—Fruit, Vegetables, etc. (including Shooks)	'000	1,987	1,795	1,947	(g)	(h)	(h)
Cheese	'000 lb	3,373	4,051	2,712	3,890	3,186	3,439
Coats—Sports—Men's and Youths'	number	1,057	877	792	*775	*445	596
Coke (including Coke Breeze)	ton	13,928	12,822	14,036	(g)	(h)	(h)
Cordials and Syrups	gallon	281,780	337,629	428,007	514,575	450,672	449,904
Electricity Generated	'000 kWh	1,318,199	1,474,277	1,639,114	1,857,542	1,373,086	1,539,453
Fibrous Plaster Sheets	'000 sq yd	1,642	1,597	1,716	1,737	1,276	1,450
Flour—							
Plain (j)	ton (2,000 lb)	143,296	134,378	113,665	102,069	70,926	83,377
Self-raising	cwt	82,548	74,206	70,515	(g)	(h)	(h)
Gas (Town) Produced	'000 cub ft	1,435,478	1,458,064	1,483,455	1,561,036	1,152,084	1,291,108
Hot Water Systems—Domestic (k)—							
Electric	number	4,188	4,824	4,135	*6,081	4,041	6,204
Other	number	5,881	7,507	9,016	*9,370	6,804	7,826
Ice	ton	8,604	8,424	8,225	(g)	(h)	(h)
Iron—Pig-iron	ton	46,769	47,355	45,864	(d)	(d)	(d)
Jelly Crystals	lb	867,317	992,212	972,828	(g)	(d)	(h)
Leather (All Types)	\$'000	851	986	1,029	(g)	(h)	(h)
Lime (Quicklime)	ton	30,024	41,280	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
Macaroni, Spaghetti, Vermicelli	cwt	17,239	15,437	15,654	(g)	(h)	(h)
Mattresses—Soft-filled (l)	number	47,855	59,491	66,755	62,344	47,534	46,852
Paints and Enamels, Ready-mixed (excluding Water Paints)	gallon	521,590	546,549	585,137	628,643	473,678	535,073
Pickles and Chutneys	pint	271,486	438,066	518,540	(g)	(h)	(h)
Plaster of Paris	ton	20,929	22,263	20,994	21,552	15,694	18,448
Pollard	ton (2,000 lb)	21,732	18,975	16,210	14,204	9,557	11,944
Pyjamas—Woven Fabric—Men's, Youths' and Boys'	dozen	13,063	12,555	10,582	9,626	6,585	6,239
Sauce (All Types)	pint	488,120	483,594	316,818	(g)	(h)	(h)
Shirts (All Types) Men's, Youths' and Boys'	dozen	58,952	66,489	64,905	64,006	48,778	48,244
Shorts and Knickers—Men's, Youths' and Boys' (m)	number	371,424	404,846	511,143	494,956	418,151	374,295
Sleepers, Railway—Sawn	'000 sup. ft	46,489	53,189	58,817	56,501	40,219	36,360
Slippers	pair	143,471	109,818	140,034	176,306	144,330	119,302
Soap and Soap Substitutes (including Detergents)	cwt	65,488	54,231	65,413	65,523	46,384	57,402
Steel, Constructional—Fabricated	ton	34,348	39,995	52,357	(g)	(h)	(h)
Stock and Poultry Foods—Meat and Bone Meal	cwt	218,832	191,662	246,040	255,941	189,699	261,979
Suits, Men's and Youths'—2 and 3 piece	number	10,570	10,869	9,932	*9,961	7,520	6,740
Sulphuric Acid	ton	306,889	326,103	404,848	455,718	332,919	396,230
Superphosphate	ton	863,628	867,205	1,070,455	1,201,433	868,095	1,048,993
Tallow (Raw and Refined) (n)	cwt	223,081	242,347	234,099	(g)	(h)	(h)
Tiles — Roofing (Terracotta and Concrete)	'000	15,613	15,647	16,162	17,443	12,658	14,657
Timber (from local logs)—Sawn (including Railway Sleepers) (o)	'000 sup. ft	195,724	207,304	211,638	203,437	147,096	156,749
Trousers—Men's and Youths'—Sports	number	126,243	150,910	131,860	*91,186	65,940	80,823
Work (including Jeans)	number	130,022	124,454	134,924	122,808	92,577	52,242
Tyres, Retreaded and Recapped	number	193,872	218,146	225,168	(g)	(h)	(h)
Vinegar (including bulk)	gallon	152,920	158,457	144,597	(g)	(h)	(h)
Wire—Barbed	ton	1,615	1,559	1,615	1,942	1,418	1,278
Wool—Scoured	'000 lb	27,478	26,543	26,690	26,773	19,783	19,755

(a) Some major items of production are not available for publication. (b) Includes quantities produced and used in own works. (c) Includes rebuilt batteries. (d) Not available for publication. (e) Excludes sandals, rubber thongs and other footwear wholly of rubber. (f) Includes loaves other than 2 lb size and bread rolls, etc., in terms of 2 lb loaf equivalent. (g) Not available at time of publication. (h) Not available. Annual collection only. (i) For 1963-64, includes all types of standard size bricks. For later periods figures represent clay bricks only (all sizes). (j) Includes quantities used for making self-raising flour. (k) Excludes solar absorber units. (l) Includes rubber, plastic foam and sponge. (m) Excludes suit shorts and swim shorts. (n) Includes dripping. (o) Includes plywood veneers in terms of super. feet. For railway sleepers see also specific item. (†) Preliminary. *Revised.

No. 39—Summary of Factories according to Class of Industry : 1966-87

Class of Industry	Factories	Land and Buildings	Plant and Machinery	Persons Employed (a)			Salaries and Wages (b)	Value of Output	Net Production
				Males	Females	Persons			
	No.	\$'000	\$'000	No.	No.	No.	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
I Treatment of Non-metalliciferous Mine and Quarry Products	157	7,706	9,215	1,894	129	2,023	5,446	30,712	15,691
II Bricks, Pottery, Glass, etc.	47	3,575	3,881	1,455	138	1,593	4,503	13,487	8,728
III Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paints, Oils, Grease	89	15,382	41,123	2,730	273	3,003	9,327	135,646	42,601
IV Industrial Metals, Machines, Implements and Conveyances	2,653	67,104	81,544	27,723	1,870	29,593	73,563	272,518	135,985
V Precious Metals, Jewellery, Plate	91	724	169	241	34	275	466	1,428	1,016
VI Textiles and Textile Goods (inclusive of Knitted Goods)	35	1,761	1,197	386	438	824	1,600	8,782	2,923
VII Skins and Leather (not Clothing or Footwear)	23	1,094	521	429	126	555	1,219	4,117	1,982
VIII Clothing (except Knitted)	333	4,066	1,578	826	2,336	3,162	4,299	12,136	7,296
IX Food, Drink, and Tobacco	633	30,457	23,439	6,361	2,558	8,919	20,047	146,967	48,615
X Sawmilling, Woodworking and Basketware	469	6,810	7,457	5,516	298	5,814	13,692	52,217	25,692
XI Furniture of Wood, Bedding, etc.	196	3,059	812	1,361	293	1,654	3,245	13,929	6,289
XII Stationery, Paper, Printing, Bookbinding, etc.	170	9,786	14,467	2,771	886	3,657	9,017	32,269	16,793
XIII Rubber	56	1,695	1,400	418	81	499	1,288	5,559	2,520
XIV Musical Instruments	6	78	7	26	...	26	52	89	75
XV Miscellaneous Products	123	2,254	1,233	609	303	912	1,774	6,377	3,437
XVI Heat, Light and Power	86	14,757	62,815	1,235	13	1,248	4,060	23,991	16,148
Total, 1966-87	5,167	170,308	250,858	53,981	9,776	63,757	153,597	765,224	335,788
Total, 1965-66	4,906	151,047	197,210	51,464	8,818	60,282	134,171	678,751	288,803
Total, 1964-65	4,734	131,739	163,526	50,065	8,032	58,097	119,978	610,422	260,637
Total, 1963-64	4,609	118,813	155,514	48,163	7,542	55,705	108,515	555,058	230,511
Total, 1962-63	4,492	102,856	132,635	46,252	7,183	53,435	99,880	517,899	216,422
Total, 1961-62	4,418	98,337	123,433	44,193	6,840	51,033	92,840	486,988	196,033
Total, 1960-61	4,334	91,220	128,612	43,836	6,830	50,666	90,255	481,140	193,262
Total, 1959-60	4,279	87,146	128,450	42,957	6,694	49,651	83,285	431,165	172,747
Total, 1958-59	4,125	81,379	132,196	41,951	6,466	48,417	77,464	392,405	157,524
Total, 1957-58	3,941	73,691	127,680	42,039	6,423	48,462	75,870	392,525	150,624

(a) Average over the whole year, including working proprietors. (b) Excludes amounts drawn by working proprietors.

No. 40—Factories in each Class of Industry, classified according to Number of Persons Employed 1966-67 (a)

Class of Industry	Factories Employing on the Average over Period of Operation (b)—									
	Less than 5 Persons		5-20 Persons		21-50 Persons		51-100 Persons		More than 100 Persons	
	Factories	Persons	Factories	Persons	Factories	Persons	Factories	Persons	Factories	Persons
I Treatment of Non-metalliciferous Mine and Quarry Products	70	178	66	589	14	452	4	253	3	571
II Bricks, Pottery, Glass, etc.	13	29	15	156	8	262	7	498	4	646
III Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paints, Oils, Grease	34	77	31	300	11	363	5	350	8	1,927
IV Industrial Metals, Machines, Implements and Conveyances	1,652	3,564	749	6,867	164	5,119	51	3,552	37	10,743
V Precious Metals, Jewellery, Plate	78	136	12	111	1	28
VI Textiles and Textile Goods (inclusive of Knitted Goods)	15	34	12	138	3	73	2	121	3	460
VII Skins and Leather (not Clothing or Footwear)	6	13	8	84	7	264	1	72	1	122
VIII Clothing (except Knitted)	204	413	91	862	24	762	11	802	3	325
IX Food, Drink, and Tobacco	337	742	200	2,012	60	1,995	24	1,647	12	3,131
X Sawmilling, Woodworking and Basketware	205	479	187	1,716	54	1,722	17	1,137	6	873
XI Furniture of Wood, Bedding, etc.	106	239	69	649	18	496	2	156	1	122
XII Stationery, Paper, Printing, Bookbinding, etc.	53	129	75	769	30	944	7	556	5	1,300
XIII Rubber	42	102	7	77	5	184	1	62	1	121
XIV Musical Instruments	4	9	2	17
XV Miscellaneous Products	65	145	49	470	7	206	2	119
XVI Heat, Light and Power	51	82	25	240	5	132	5	819
Total, All Classes	2,935	6,371	1,598	15,057	411	13,002	134	9,325	89	21,160

(a) For total number of factories and average employment over the whole year in each Class, see previous table.

(b) Includes working proprietors.

No. 41—Average Annual Amount of Salary and Wages Paid per Employee (a)

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Class of Industry	1962-63		1963-64		1964-65		1965-66		1966-67	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
I Treatment of Non-metal- liferous Mine and Quarry Products	2,214	1,368	2,348	1,362	2,460	1,455	2,643	1,465	2,874	1,539
II Bricks, Pottery, Glass, etc.	2,152	1,192	2,290	1,184	2,458	1,275	2,612	1,318	2,967	1,681
III Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paints, Oil, Grease	2,532	1,219	2,590	1,288	2,793	1,330	3,035	1,356	3,284	1,548
IV Industrial Metals, Machines, Implements and Convey- ances	2,040	1,146	2,140	1,198	2,298	1,288	2,503	1,362	2,722	1,457
V Precious Metals, Jewellery, Plate	2,066	1,002	2,042	950	2,143	1,308	2,306	1,280	2,552	1,439
VI Textiles and Textile Goods (Inclusive of Knitted Goods)	2,130	1,154	2,206	1,114	2,286	1,169	2,553	1,261	2,728	1,336
VII Skins and Leather (not Clothing or Footwear)	2,100	1,108	2,130	1,078	2,331	1,109	2,544	1,200	2,521	1,289
VIII Clothing (except Knitted)	1,826	1,036	1,858	1,106	1,993	1,157	2,113	1,210	2,297	1,315
IX Food, Drink and Tobacco	2,242	1,184	2,296	1,236	2,395	1,291	2,577	1,377	2,717	1,494
X Sawmilling, Woodworking and Basketware	1,892	1,160	2,010	1,188	2,120	1,267	2,334	1,229	2,528	1,439
XI Furniture of Wood, Bed- ding, etc.	1,882	1,226	1,976	1,186	2,068	1,258	2,227	1,346	2,403	1,469
XII Paper, Stationery, Printing, Bookbinding, etc.	2,330	1,156	2,432	1,118	2,487	1,195	2,690	1,226	2,958	1,309
XIII Rubber	2,058	776	2,054	856	2,286	805	2,389	974	2,889	1,334
XIV Musical Instruments	1,652	...	1,722	...	1,935	...	2,233	...	2,259	...
XV Miscellaneous Products	1,912	1,054	2,040	1,002	2,146	1,069	2,294	1,205	2,568	1,233
Total, Classes I to XV	2,096	1,142	2,188	1,164	2,328	1,228	2,527	1,295	2,741	1,411
XVI Heat, Light and Power	2,580	1,176	2,670	1,266	2,732	1,660	2,982	1,409	3,322	1,466
Total, All Classes	2,110	1,142	2,200	1,164	2,337	1,228	2,538	1,295	2,755	1,411

(a) Excludes working proprietors and amounts drawn by them.

XII—PRICES, WAGES AND EMPLOYMENT

No. 42—Consumer Price Index : Perth

(Base of each Index Series : Year 1952-53 = 100)

Period	Food	Clothing and Drapery	Housing	Household Supplies and Equipment	Miscel- laneous	All Groups
Year—						
1962-63	123.9	112.0	150.9	107.0	125.5	122.2
1963-64	125.4	112.8	155.9	105.2	128.5	123.8
1964-65	130.5	114.1	160.0	106.4	134.2	127.6
1965-66	136.6	115.4	165.6	108.1	142.1	132.5
1966-67	143.5	117.9	173.7	110.0	149.1	137.9
Quarter—						
1965—March	130.1	114.3	160.4	106.6	136.0	128.0
June	133.3	114.7	161.5	106.9	136.2	129.3
September	134.4	114.7	162.9	107.9	136.4	130.0
December	133.9	115.0	161.5	108.0	142.8	131.7
1966—March	135.8	115.4	166.5	107.9	144.6	132.8
June	142.1	116.5	167.6	108.5	144.6	135.3
September	143.1	116.6	170.2	108.9	146.1	136.3
December	140.9	117.8	172.6	110.1	149.1	136.9
1967—March	143.3	118.1	174.5	110.3	150.2	138.3
June	146.7	119.2	177.5	110.7	151.0	140.1
September	147.5	119.6	179.6	110.4	151.4	140.7
December	145.8	120.3	183.3	110.4	154.4	141.3
1968—March	147.6	120.6	184.9	110.7	159.7	142.2

No. 43—Average Retail Prices of Food and Grocery Items : Perth
(Cents)

Commodity	Unit	1966				1967			
		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Quarter ended Dec.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Quarter ended Dec.
GROCERIES									
Bread (a)	2 lb	17·0	17·0	18·0	17·3	18·0	18·0	19·0	18·3
Flour—plain, prepacked	"	13·4	13·4	13·2	13·3	14·0	14·1	14·8	14·3
self-raising	"	17·8	17·9	17·5	17·7	18·2	18·2	18·3	18·2
Tea	$\frac{1}{2}$ lb	30·7	30·5	30·7	30·6	30·7	30·7	30·7	30·7
Sugar	lb	8·8	8·8	8·8	8·8	10·3	10·0	10·2	10·2
Rice	1 lb pkt	13·2	13·3	13·3	13·3	14·0	14·0	14·0	14·0
Jam, plum	$1\frac{1}{2}$ lb tin	27·1	27·2	27·2	27·2	28·8	28·8	29·0	28·9
Oats, rolled	$1\frac{1}{2}$ lb pkt	23·6	23·9	23·9	23·8	23·9	23·0	23·0	23·3
Peaches, canned	20 oz	31·4	31·1	31·1	31·2	31·5	31·9	31·9	31·8
Pears, canned	"	31·4	31·1	31·1	31·2	31·5	31·9	31·3	31·6
Potatoes	7 lb	41·6	42·0	42·0	41·9	42·5	42·0	42·5	42·3
Onions, brown	lb	14·3	10·3	8·2	10·9	10·5	8·5	9·1	9·4
Soap, laundry	20 oz pkt	31·8	30·3	31·7	31·3	31·8	31·8	31·8	31·8
DAIRY PRODUCE									
Butter	lb	50·0	50·0	50·0	50·0	50·0	50·0	50·0	50·0
Cheese, processed	$\frac{1}{2}$ lb pkt	23·9	23·7	24·5	24·0	25·1	24·8	24·6	24·8
Eggs, grade 1a	dozen	62·2	64·1	64·1	63·5	65·0	65·0	66·4	65·5
Bacon, rashers, prepacked	$\frac{1}{2}$ lb	40·4	40·4	40·4	40·4	42·3	42·9	42·9	42·7
Milk—condensed	14 oz tin	19·8	20·0	20·0	19·9	21·3	21·7	20·7	21·2
fresh, bottled (a)	quart	20·0	20·0	20·0	20·0	20·0	20·0	20·0	20·0
MEAT									
Beef (fresh) :									
Sirloin	lb	58·7	58·6
Rib (without bone)	"	51·5	52·5
Steak—rump	"	88·7	92·3
chuck	"	52·1	53·4
Sausages	"	25·0	24·3
Beef (corned) :									
Silverside	"	53·8	54·7
Brisket, rolled	"	40·3	42·9
Mutton (fresh) :									
Leg	"	31·2	32·3
Forequarter	"	20·3	19·8
Chops—loin	"	29·5	29·6
leg	"	30·4	30·5
Lamb (fresh) :									
Leg	"	44·5	46·4
Forequarter.....	"	28·9	29·6
Chops—loin	"	43·6	46·3
leg	"	43·8	46·5
Pork (fresh) :									
Leg	"	59·4	60·5
Loin	"	60·0	61·8
Chops	"	60·0	61·5

(a) Cash price delivered.

No. 44—Basic Wages—Adult Weekly Rates (a) : Western Australia
(£)

State			Commonwealth (b)		
Date of Operation	Males	Females	Date of Operation (c)	Males	Females
1964—22 September	30·80	23·10	1953—May	23·10	17·30
26 October	31·12	23·34	August	23·60	17·70
1965—26 April	31·47	23·60	1956—June	24·60	18·45
26 July	31·78	23·84	1957—15 May	25·60	19·20
16 November	31·96	23·97	1958—21 May	26·10	19·55
1966—25 January	32·38	24·28	1959—11 June	27·60	20·70
2 May	32·65	24·49	1961—7 July	28·80	21·60
2 August	33·26	24·95	1964—19 June	30·80	23·10
24 October	33·50	25·13	1966—11 July	32·80	24·60

(a) See *Special Note* below. (b) Rates for Perth. (c) Rates operative from beginning of first pay-period commencing in the month shown or commencing on or after the date shown.

SPECIAL NOTE—The latest wage rates shown in the "State" section of the above table are those which applied before a decision of The Western Australian Industrial Commission dated 27 June 1967. The terms of this decision were that the minimum weekly wage payable to adult male workers under certain awards be increased from \$36.55 to \$37.55; "that the wage rates for adult workers not in receipt of the 'minimum wage' be increased by 60 cents per week; and that other wage rates be adjusted as if the basic wage for males and the basic wage for females had been increased by that amount". These increases were declared to operate from the beginning of the first pay-period commencing on or after 1 July 1967. The latest wage rates shown in the "Commonwealth" section of the table applied before a decision of the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission in June 1967 to eliminate basic wages and margins from its awards and to introduce total wages to operate from the beginning of the first pay-period commencing on or after 1 July 1967. Total wages for adult males and adult females were to be increased by \$1 a week from the same date.

No. 45—Wage and Salary Earners in Civilian Employment
(Excluding Employees in Rural Industry and Private Domestic Service, and Defence Forces)

(Thousands)

Industry Group and Sub-group	June 1965	June 1966	June 1967 (a)	Sept. 1967 (a)	Oct. 1967 (a)	Nov. 1967 (a)	Dec. 1967 (a)
MALES							
Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5
Mining and Quarrying	6.9	7.2	7.8	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.3
Manufacturing	48.0	49.1	50.1	51.1	51.2	51.8	52.1
Electricity, Gas, Water and Sanitary Services	5.2	5.4	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7
Building and Construction	23.3	26.5	24.4	25.5	26.4	26.6	26.5
Transport and Storage—							
Road transport and storage	5.6	6.2	6.5	6.6	6.9	6.9	7.0
Shipping and stevedoring	4.1	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3
Rail and air transport....	7.5	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
Communication	5.6	5.8	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.3
Finance and Property—							
Banking....	3.4	3.6	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7
Other	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6
Commerce—							
Retail trade	17.0	17.0	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.4	17.5
Wholesale and other commerce	12.3	12.8	13.2	13.3	13.4	14.2	14.5
Public Authority Activities, n.e.i.	8.3	8.8	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.6
Other Industries—							
Health, hospitals, etc.	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9
Education	6.0	6.4	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.5
Other (b)	10.5	11.4	12.0	12.4	12.4	12.5	12.7
Total	171.5	180.7	183.9	186.7	188.3	190.3	191.6
FEMALES							
Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Mining and Quarrying	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Manufacturing	8.1	9.0	9.4	9.6	9.7	9.8	10.0
Electricity, Gas, Water and Sanitary Services	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4
Building and Construction	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Transport and Storage—							
Road transport and storage	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7
Shipping and stevedoring	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Rail and air transport....	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5
Communication	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
Finance and Property—							
Banking....	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9
Other	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7
Commerce—							
Retail trade	13.6	14.7	15.9	15.7	15.9	16.4	16.6
Wholesale and other commerce	3.7	4.1	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4
Public Authority Activities, n.e.i.	2.7	2.9	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3
Other Industries—							
Health, hospitals, etc.	11.0	11.3	11.8	11.8	11.9	11.9	11.9
Education	6.3	6.9	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	5.6
Other (b)	10.2	11.2	12.0	12.6	12.7	12.8	12.9
Total	62.7	68.0	72.4	73.0	73.7	74.7	73.5
PERSONS							
Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5
Mining and Quarrying	7.1	7.5	8.1	8.2	8.4	8.5	8.7
Manufacturing	56.1	58.1	59.5	60.6	61.0	61.6	62.1
Electricity, Gas, Water and Sanitary Services	5.5	5.7	6.2	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.1
Building and Construction	23.7	27.0	25.0	26.1	27.0	27.2	27.1
Transport and Storage—							
Road transport and storage	6.1	6.8	7.1	7.3	7.5	7.6	7.6
Shipping and stevedoring	4.3	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.6	4.5
Rail and air transport....	7.9	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.6
Communication	6.8	7.0	7.4	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.7
Finance and Property—							
Banking....	4.9	5.3	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6
Other	5.3	5.7	5.9	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.3
Commerce—							
Retail trade	30.6	31.7	33.1	32.8	33.0	33.8	34.1
Wholesale and other commerce	16.0	16.9	17.5	17.5	17.7	18.6	18.9
Public Authority Activities, n.e.i.	11.0	11.7	12.6	12.7	12.8	12.9	12.9
Other Industries—							
Health, hospitals, etc.	14.5	15.0	15.6	15.6	15.7	15.7	15.8
Education	12.3	13.3	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.1	12.1
Other (b)	20.7	22.6	24.0	25.0	25.1	25.2	25.6
Total	284.2	248.7	256.3	259.7	262.0	265.1	265.1

(a) Figures are subject to revision.

(b) Comprises Law, Order and Public Safety; Religion and Social Welfare; Other Community and Business Services; Amusement, Sport and Recreation; and Hotels, Personal Service, etc., (excluding private domestic service).

(c) Less than 50 employees.

No. 46—Industrial Disputes (a)

Period	Coal Mining	Manufacturing			Building and Construction	Transport		Other Industries	All Groups
		Engineering, Metals, etc.	Food, Drink and Tobacco	Other		Stevedoring	Other		
NUMBER									
Year—									
1963	1	4	9	10	3	1	28
1964	5	3	5	10	2	1	26
1965	1	8	1	3	6	11	3	33
1966	1	4	5	1	7	2	3	2	25
1967	1	4	3	7	3	3	5	26
Quarter—									
1966—June	1	2	1	6	1	11
Sept.	1	1	1	3
Dec.	1	2	1	1	1	6
1967—March	4	1	3	8
June	1	1	2	2	6
Sept.	3	1	2	6
Dec.	1	2	2	1	6

WORKERS INVOLVED (b)

Year—									
1963	37	6,276	1,793	4,135	5,383	7,566	12,194	5,200	42,584
1964	497	146	636	2,507	2,094	285	6,165
1965	165	2,656	43	276	389	8,882	200	12,611
1966	34	133	387	474	762	636	102	348	2,876
1967	42	1,572	424	1,880	677	89	387	5,071
Quarter—									
1966—June	25	88	474	726	308	1,621
Sept.	18	36	22	76
Dec.	10	245	571	55	40	921
1967—March	1,572	190	89	1,851
June	123	19	635	44	821
Sept.	11	1,054	42	325	1,432
Dec.	42	290	617	18	967

WORKING DAYS LOST

Year—									
1963	42	4,564	1,061	2,583	5,917	4,336	9,431	4,035	31,969
1964	1,438	146	1,349	1,625	2,530	60	7,148
1965	514	2,042	26	120	925	6,202	191	10,020
1966	38	89	677	929	3,758	216	142	390	6,239
1967	20	2,171	645	2,351	441	70	296	5,994
Quarter—									
1966—June	12	197	929	3,714	290	5,142
Sept.	27	44	89	160
Dec.	10	428	36	28	100	602
1967—March	2,171	190	70	2,431
June	123	45	191	64	423
Sept.	424	1,657	250	219	2,550
Dec.	20	98	459	13	590

ESTIMATED LOSS IN WAGES
(\$'000)

Year—									
1963	0.4	35.4	8.0	17.4	50.2	38.8	74.4	27.8	252.4
1964	10.8	1.2	11.9	15.5	23.2	62.6
1965	5.2	15.4	0.2	1.0	13.4	63.5	2.0	100.8
1966	0.4	0.9	6.8	9.9	38.7	2.3	1.5	4.0	64.5
1967	0.2	18.8	7.4	26.5	5.4	0.8	3.6	62.7
Quarter—									
1966—June	0.1	3.0	9.9	38.4	2.6	54.0
Sept.	0.3	0.4	1.0	1.7
Dec.	0.1	3.2	0.4	0.3	1.4	5.4
1967—March	18.8	2.9	22.4
June	1.4	0.5	2.2	1.0	5.2
Sept.	4.9	17.8	3.2	2.4	28.4
Dec.	0.2	1.0	5.3	0.2	6.7

(a) Refers only to disputes involving cessation of work for ten man-days or more. (b) Includes workers indirectly involved, i.e., persons thrown out of work at the establishments where the stoppages occurred, but not themselves parties to the dispute.

XIII—METEOROLOGICAL STATISTICS

No. 47—Abstract of Meteorological Observations at Perth

(Latitude, 31° 57' S. Longitude, 115° 51' E. Altitude above Mean Sea-Level, 210 feet.)

1968		Barometric Pressure (Millibars at Mean Sea Level) (a)				Shade Temperature (° Fahr.)										Evaporation		Rainfall			
Month	Mean 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.	Normal	Highest	Lowest	Maximum					Minimum					Inches		Points		Wet Days		
					Mean, 1968	71 Year Normal	Highest	Highest Since 1897		Mean, 1968	71 Year Normal	Lowest	Lowest Since 1897								
								Temp.	Year				Temp.	Year	Total	Average 69 Years (b)	Total	Average 92 Years (b)	Total	Average 92 Years (b)	
January	1,009.9	1,012.6	1,021.3	998.3	85.2	85.1	109.0	110.7	1956	66.3	63.6	56.8	48.6	1925	10.81	10.36	66	32	6	3
February	1,013.9	1,013.0	1,026.2	1,007.0	83.0	85.5	97.1	112.2	1933	64.8	63.8	52.3	47.7	1902	7.78	8.76	88	43	5	3
March	1,014.4	1,015.2	1,028.2	1,003.8	78.9	81.8	98.7	106.4	1922	59.3	61.6	46.0	45.8	1903	7.30	7.63	190	79	9	4

(a) 1,015.9 millibars = 30 inches.

(b) Up to and including 1967.

No. 48—Summary of Rainfall in Meteorological Districts

Three Months ended 31 March 1968

District (a)	Mean for Three Months ended 31 March 1968	Fifty-three Year Normal for Relevant Three Months	Percentage Departure from Fifty-three Year Normal	Recording Station with Highest and Lowest Falls in District									
				Highest					Lowest				
East Kimberley	points 1,944	points 1,269	+ 53	Kununurra	points 3,894	Halls Creek	points 1,710						
West Kimberley	1,929	1,391	+ 39	Broome	2,450	Nita Downs	1,108						
De Grey	569	737	— 23	Mandora	1,319	Roebourne	334						
Portescue	639	600	+ 7	Ethel Creek	1,118	Onslow	285						
West Gascoyne	226	226	Gascoyne Junction	507	Carnarvon	44						
East Gascoyne	529	456	+ 16	Three Rivers	736	Peak Hill	337						
Murchison	370	300	+ 23	Meekatharra	943	Yalgoo	174						
North Coastal	314	175	+ 79	Kondut	514	Chapman Research Station	223						
Central Coastal	371	170	+ 118	Kalamunda	504	Wanneroo	206						
South Coastal	458	259	+ 77	Harvey	714	Boyup Brook	209						
North Central	452	193	+ 134	Dowerin	771	Wialki	343						
South Central	572	201	+ 185	Lake Grace	1,004	Cranbrook	314						
Eucla	478	204	+ 134	Forrest	535	Caiguna	103						
South-Eastern	369	286	+ 29	Albion Downs	635	Bullfinch	352						
North-Eastern	581	405	+ 43	Earaheedy	953	Giles							

(a) Excludes North Kimberley Meteorological District for which there are insufficient recording stations.

XIV—PARLIAMENTARY ROLLS AND ELECTIONS

No. 49—Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly : Conjoint Election of 20 February 1965

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Electoral Area (a) and Province	Electors on Roll			Electoral Area (a) and Province	Electors on Roll		
	Males	Females	Persons		Males	Females	Persons
Metropolitan Area—				Agricultural, Mining			
Metropolitan	24,652	20,592	54,244	and Pastoral Area			
North Metropolitan	24,569	26,622	51,191	(continued)—			
North-East Metro-	20,009	30,859	59,868	South-East	8,931	7,635	16,566
politan				South-West	8,251	7,416	15,667
South Metropolitan	23,825	24,316	48,141	Upper West	9,105	7,870	16,975
tan				West ...	9,692	9,541	19,233
South-East Metro-	21,869	24,482	46,351	Total	71,164	65,323	136,487
politan							
Total	123,924	135,871	259,795	North-West Area—			
Agricultural, Mining				Lower North	4,041	3,285	7,326
and Pastoral Area—				North	2,977	1,877	4,854
Central (b)	8,073	7,793	15,866	Total	7,018	5,162	12,180
Lower Central	8,357	7,775	16,132	WHOLE STATE	202,106	206,356	408,462
Lower West	9,224	8,690	17,914				
South	9,531	8,603	18,134				
Electors on Roll in Contested Provinces					194,033	198,563	392,596
Electors on Roll in Uncontested Provinces					8,073	7,793	15,866
Total Number of Electors on Roll					202,106	206,356	408,462
Total Number of Votes Recorded					(c)	(c)	(d)361,752
Percentage of Votes Recorded to Electors on Roll in Contested Provinces					(c)	(c)	92.14
Percentage of Informal Votes to Total Votes Recorded					(c)	(c)	4.27

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Electoral Area (a) and District	Electors on Roll			Electoral Area (a) and District	Electors on Roll		
	Males	Females	Persons		Males	Females	Persons
Metropolitan Area—				Agricultural, Mining			
Balcatta	6,798	6,995	13,793	and Pastoral Area			
Bayswater	6,850	6,862	13,712	(continued)—			
Beeloo	5,890	6,223	12,113	Collie	2,770	2,539	5,309
Belmont	6,001	6,291	12,292	Dale	3,359	3,270	6,629
Canning	5,219	6,216	11,435	Darling Range	3,987	3,572	6,959
Claremont	4,801	5,707	10,508	Geraldton	3,181	2,993	6,174
Cockburn (e)	6,104	5,832	11,936	Greenough (e)	2,842	2,867	5,209
Cottesloe	4,869	5,848	10,717	Kalgoorlie (e)	3,083	2,644	5,727
East Melville	6,194	6,673	12,867	Katanning (e)	2,741	2,616	5,357
Fremantle	5,677	5,672	11,349	Merredin-Yilgarn	2,616	2,169	4,785
Karrinyup	6,320	6,948	13,268	Moore	3,082	2,510	5,592
Maylands	5,130	5,840	10,970	Mount Marshall (e)	2,734	2,373	5,107
Melville	5,850	6,139	11,989	Murchison	2,852	2,426	5,278
Mount Hawthorn	5,243	5,856	11,099	Murray	2,850	2,675	5,525
Mount Lawley	5,137	6,060	11,197	Narrogin	2,846	2,620	5,466
Nedlands	4,936	5,894	10,830	Northam	2,991	2,793	5,784
Perth	5,306	5,815	11,121	Roe (e)	3,413	2,706	6,119
South Perth (e)	5,574	6,301	11,875	Stirling (e)	2,865	2,514	5,379
Subiaco	4,740	6,323	11,063	Toodyay	2,946	2,699	5,645
Swan	5,891	5,806	11,697	Vasse	2,718	2,690	5,408
Victoria Park	5,186	5,742	10,928	Warren	2,823	2,345	5,168
Wembley	6,208	6,823	13,031	Wellington	3,252	2,951	6,203
Total	123,924	135,871	259,795	Total	74,016	67,749	141,765
Agricultural, Mining				North-West Area—			
and Pastoral Area—				Gascoyne	1,189	859	2,048
Albany	3,253	3,383	6,636	Kimberley	1,776	1,166	2,942
Avon (e)	2,348	2,627	4,975	Pilbara	1,201	711	1,912
Blackwood (e)	2,710	2,381	5,091	Total	4,166	2,736	6,902
Boulder-Eyre (e)	3,232	2,822	6,054	WHOLE STATE	202,106	206,356	408,462
Bunbury	3,122	3,064	6,186				
Electors on Roll in Contested Districts					164,460	171,173	335,633
Electors on Roll in Uncontested Districts					37,646	35,183	72,829
Total Number of Electors on Roll					202,106	206,356	408,462
Total Number of Votes Recorded					(c)	(c)	(f)309,893
Percentage of Votes Recorded to Electors on Roll in Contested Districts					(c)	(c)	92.33
Percentage of Informal Votes to Total Votes Recorded					(c)	(c)	3.11

(a) As defined in the Electoral Districts Act, 1947-1965. (b) Uncontested Province. (c) Not available.
(d) Includes 15,433 informal votes. (e) Uncontested District. (f) Includes 9,634 informal votes.

XV—BUILDING

No. 50—Building Permits and Approvals

Statistics in tables contained in this publication have been compiled from :

- building permits issued by local government authorities in Western Australia to private persons and firms for operations in areas subject to building control, i.e., "private" ownership building, and
- information from a number of sources on contracts let, work commenced or work authorised by government, semi-government and local government authorities, i.e., "government" ownership building.

Building is classified as "Private" or "Government" according to ownership at date of commencement. Thus "Government" includes buildings erected for Commonwealth and State Governments, semi-government and local government authorities either by contractors or by day labour, whether these buildings are for their own use, for rental, or for sale after completion. Buildings erected for private ownership, or which are financed or supervised by government authorities but erected for particular persons, are classified as "Private".

Prior to 1 July 1966, additions valued at \$10,000 or more to buildings other than houses were classified as "new" buildings. From 1 July 1966, alterations and/or additions valued at \$10,000 or more to existing buildings of all types are included as "new" buildings.

The value of land on which the projected buildings are to be erected is not included in the values shown.

Period	PERMITS AND APPROVALS FOR—									ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS
	NEW BUILDINGS									
	Houses and Flats (a)				Other New Buildings		Total			
	Perth Statistical Division (b)		Whole State		Perth Statistical Division (b)	Whole State	Perth Statistical Division (b)	Whole State	Whole State	
	No.	Value \$'000	No.	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	

FOR PRIVATE OWNERSHIP

Year—									
1963	5,690	38,530	6,738	45,120	17,718	21,940	56,248	67,060	7,700
1964	6,216	45,382	7,416	53,476	20,254	24,428	65,636	77,904	9,012
1965	5,436	41,804	6,892	54,936	25,532	38,414	67,336	93,350	9,676
1966	6,735	51,203	8,333	65,626	24,842	32,188	76,050	97,814	9,715
1967	9,186	72,080	11,294	96,341	41,733	52,801	113,813	148,642	10,619
Quarter—									
1967—									
March	2,129	15,773	2,526	20,246	9,889	11,074	25,662	31,320	2,180
June.....	2,323	18,013	2,903	24,350	11,016	13,442	29,029	37,792	2,694
Sept.....	2,368	18,628	3,077	23,505	12,875	16,429	31,503	44,934	2,865
Dec.....	2,366	19,666	2,788	23,240	7,953	11,356	27,619	34,596	2,880
1968—									
March	2,533	20,759	3,157	28,268	6,638	11,585	27,397	39,853	2,676

FOR GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP

Year—									
1963	1,346	7,092	2,008	11,390	13,596	24,450	20,688	35,840	374
1964	1,238	6,824	1,889	11,538	11,046	21,782	17,870	33,368	423
1965	1,373	7,446	2,186	13,906	14,552	24,238	21,993	38,144	442
1966	858	4,962	1,707	12,935	20,254	27,868	25,216	40,803	436
1967	965	6,328	1,841	14,290	23,628	33,452	29,956	47,742	499
Quarter—									
1967—									
March	53	345	200	1,666	2,812	5,347	3,157	7,013	113
June.....	230	1,521	485	3,798	7,614	9,105	9,135	12,903	90
Sept.....	250	1,543	508	4,128	6,517	9,754	8,060	13,882	152
Dec.....	432	2,919	648	4,698	6,685	9,246	9,604	13,944	144
1968—									
March	398	2,902	468	3,472	12,460	19,238	15,362	22,710	119

TOTAL

Year—									
1963	7,036	45,622	8,746	56,510	31,314	46,390	76,936	102,900	8,074
1964	7,454	52,206	9,305	65,062	31,300	46,210	83,506	111,272	9,440
1965	6,809	49,250	9,078	68,842	40,084	62,652	89,334	131,494	10,118
1966	7,593	56,170	10,040	78,561	45,096	60,056	101,266	138,617	10,151
1967	10,151	78,408	13,135	110,631	65,361	85,753	143,769	196,384	11,118
Quarter—									
1967—									
March	2,182	16,118	2,726	21,912	12,701	16,421	28,819	38,333	2,293
June.....	2,553	19,534	3,388	28,148	18,630	22,547	33,164	50,695	2,784
Sept.....	2,618	20,171	3,585	32,633	19,392	26,183	39,563	58,816	3,017
Dec.....	2,798	22,585	3,436	27,938	14,638	20,602	37,223	48,540	3,024
1968—									
March	2,931	23,661	3,625	31,740	19,098	30,823	42,759	62,563	2,795

(a) Individual living units. (b) Comprises the area formed by amalgamation of the former Metropolitan and Swan Statistical Divisions; see *Explanatory Notes* on page 47.

No. 51—New Buildings Completed

The figures in this table cover the operations of all builders who accept contracts for the construction of new buildings, "day labour" building by governmental agencies and the activities of "owner-builders".
The value of land on which the buildings were erected is not included in the values shown.

NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS COMPLETED

Type of Building	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	Quarter				
				Dec. 1966	March 1967	June 1967	Sept. 1967	Dec. 1967
Houses—								
Material of Outer Walls—								
Brick, brick veneer, concrete, stone	5,871	5,623	6,336	1,701	1,438	1,812	1,877	2,078
Wood (weatherboard, etc.)	27	19	21	14	1	4	11	5
Fibro-cement	1,454	1,556	1,789	559	399	439	358	474
Other	93	67	126	3	47	63	19	8
Total, Houses	7,445	7,265	8,272	2,277	1,885	2,318	2,265	2,565
Flats (a)	1,841	1,624	1,742	513	387	422	694	760
TOTAL, HOUSES AND FLATS	9,286	8,889	10,014	2,790	2,272	2,740	2,959	3,325

VALUE OF NEW BUILDINGS COMPLETED
(\$'000)

Houses—								
Material of Outer Walls—								
Brick, brick veneer, concrete, stone	47,094	46,895	61,942	16,035	14,898	18,801	18,591	22,520
Wood (weatherboard, etc.)	143	107	107	53	10	32	62	10
Fibro-cement	9,700	10,822	14,985	5,208	3,115	3,856	2,966	3,884
Other	296	265	1,044	5	157	828	91	56
Total, Houses	57,238	58,089	78,078	21,301	18,180	23,017	21,710	26,470
Flats	9,046	9,096	9,322	2,575	2,081	2,298	3,324	4,316
Total, Houses and Flats	66,284	67,185	87,400	23,876	20,261	25,315	25,034	30,786
Other New Buildings—								
Hotels, hostels, etc.	2,744	3,211	4,990	1,075	2,114	1,103	2,141	3,349
Shops	2,800	4,860	7,692	3,470	2,392	1,160	992	2,312
Factories	6,816	9,631	9,841	1,997	3,487	2,392	2,044	4,949
Office Premises	2,820	10,576	7,093	1,253	872	1,334	3,824	2,905
Other Business Premises	5,102	6,999	7,150	1,796	1,816	1,818	1,597	3,064
Education	8,044	8,459	10,477	1,354	4,850	2,985	1,593	1,852
Religion	1,300	965	1,147	224	287	165	91	259
Health	3,076	7,415	8,927	844	2,447	1,686	1,263	972
Entertainment and recreation	1,952	2,247	3,080	246	559	1,343	892	852
Miscellaneous	6,072	8,630	14,338	1,758	1,117	4,774	5,923	3,246
Total, Other New Buildings	40,816	62,993	74,735	14,017	19,941	18,760	20,360	23,760
TOTAL, ALL NEW BUILDINGS	107,100	130,178	162,135	37,893	40,202	44,075	45,394	54,546

(a) Individual living units.

No. 52—Value of New Buildings Completed : Perth Statistical Division (a)

(See note preceding Table 51.)
(\$'000)

Type of Building	1966-67	Quarter				
		Dec. 1966	March 1967	June 1967	Sept. 1967	Dec. 1967
Houses—						
Material of Outer Walls—						
Brick, brick veneer, concrete, stone	45,683	12,269	10,242	12,878	14,161	15,883
Wood (weatherboard, etc.)	37	13	24	6
Fibro-cement	723	289	148	178	243	211
Other	22	4
Total, Houses	46,465	12,571	10,390	13,080	14,414	16,094
Flats	8,764	2,318	1,960	2,189	3,113	4,245
Total, Houses and Flats	55,229	14,889	12,350	15,269	17,527	20,339
Other New Buildings—						
Hotels, hostels, etc.	1,298	84	897	292	682	379
Shops	6,771	3,264	2,132	997	403	1,992
Factories	8,679	1,720	3,262	2,041	1,612	4,713
Office Premises	5,413	1,018	540	1,023	3,195	2,143
Other Business Premises	5,067	1,175	1,465	1,278	1,114	2,417
Education	7,827	741	3,546	2,534	1,261	1,369
Religion	970	202	210	112	58	93
Health	3,905	198	1,737	1,484	650	454
Entertainment and recreation	2,059	102	296	1,002	347	438
Miscellaneous	3,240	721	495	457	374	2,481
Total, Other New Buildings	45,229	9,225	14,580	11,220	9,696	16,479
TOTAL, ALL NEW BUILDINGS	100,458	24,114	26,930	26,489	27,223	36,818

(a) Comprises the area formed by amalgamation of the former Metropolitan and Swan Statistical Divisions ; see *Explanatory Notes* on page 47.

XVI—RETAIL SALES OF GOODS

No. 53—Retail Sales classified according to Commodity Groups

Figures revised since previous issue.

The figures in the table below relate to goods (as distinct from services, accommodation, entertainment, meals, etc.) sold to the public by establishments selling goods by retail from fixed premises (shops, rooms, kiosks, yards).

(\$ million)

Period	Groceries	Butchers' Meat	Other Food (a)	Beer, Wine and Spirits (b)	Clothing, Drapery, Piece-goods, Soft Furnishings, etc.	Footwear	Hardware, China and Glassware (c)	Electrical Goods and Musical Instruments	Furniture, Floor Coverings and Mattresses	Chemists' Goods	News-papers, Books, Stationery	Other Goods (d)	Total (excluding Motor Vehicles, etc.)	New and Used Motor Vehicles, Parts, Petrol, etc. (e)
1962-63	66.5	29.4	50.4	43.8	59.9	10.6	10.8	26.6	18.0	17.2	10.4	34.6	378.2	159.8
1963-64	74.6	31.9	54.4	46.2	63.0	11.0	11.3	23.7	18.9	19.1	11.6	38.3	404.0	168.9
1964-65	81.5	35.0	59.8	48.7	68.3	11.9	11.9	25.2	21.4	21.7	12.5	43.0	440.9	169.1
1965-66	90.3	38.2	63.5	56.8	74.2	12.9	13.1	28.7	22.8	24.3	13.9	47.7	486.4	181.2
1966-67	96.7	42.4	67.7	64.4	81.2	13.5	13.8	31.5	24.6	26.7	14.8	53.1	530.4	217.0
September Quarter—														
1962	16.3	7.1	11.8	9.4	14.4	2.5	2.6	6.9	4.4	4.2	2.5	8.1	90.2	38.7
1963	18.1	7.8	12.7	10.0	14.9	2.6	2.6	5.8	4.5	4.5	2.7	8.8	95.0	42.4
1964	19.5	8.6	14.2	10.6	16.3	2.8	2.7	6.1	5.2	5.1	2.8	9.9	103.8	42.1
1965	21.7	9.2	15.2	12.0	17.8	3.1	2.9	6.9	5.6	5.7	3.1	11.0	114.2	44.2
1966	23.7	10.3	15.7	13.5	19.4	3.2	3.1	7.6	6.1	6.4	3.3	12.1	124.4	52.4
1967	25.4	11.3	17.2	15.3	21.0	3.6	3.4	8.4	6.7	6.8	3.6	13.1	135.8	56.5
December Quarter—														
1962	17.5	7.4	13.1	12.1	17.3	2.9	2.9	7.8	4.9	4.9	3.0	10.2	104.0	42.4
1963	19.7	8.1	14.2	13.1	17.6	3.0	3.4	6.6	5.1	5.4	3.2	11.4	110.8	45.4
1964	21.9	9.0	15.9	13.5	19.2	3.3	3.6	7.0	5.9	6.0	3.4	13.0	121.7	41.8
1965	23.8	9.6	16.7	16.3	20.4	3.4	3.9	8.1	6.1	6.8	3.9	14.2	133.2	44.7
1966	25.6	10.7	17.5	18.9	22.8	3.7	4.2	9.0	6.7	7.6	4.1	15.9	146.7	56.3
1967	27.5	11.3	19.2	19.3	24.2	4.1	4.7	10.5	7.4	8.1	4.2	17.0	157.5	60.0
March Quarter—														
1963	15.9	7.2	13.1	12.1	12.3	2.2	2.6	6.1	4.2	3.9	2.5	8.1	90.2	38.7
1964	18.2	7.7	14.0	12.6	13.2	2.3	2.7	5.6	4.4	4.5	3.0	8.9	97.1	40.0
1965	19.4	8.4	15.0	13.0	14.1	2.5	2.8	6.0	4.9	5.1	3.3	9.9	104.4	41.3
1966	22.1	9.3	16.0	14.8	15.8	2.8	3.1	6.9	5.4	5.7	3.7	11.0	116.6	44.6
1967	23.0	10.2	17.9	16.9	17.0	2.8	3.2	7.5	5.6	6.3	3.9	12.3	126.6	52.9
June Quarter—														
1963	16.8	7.7	12.4	10.2	15.9	3.0	2.7	5.8	4.5	4.2	2.4	8.2	93.8	40.0
1964	18.6	8.3	13.5	10.5	17.3	3.1	2.6	5.7	4.9	4.7	2.7	9.2	101.1	41.1
1965	20.7	9.0	14.7	11.6	18.7	3.3	2.8	6.1	5.4	5.5	3.0	10.2	111.0	43.9
1966	22.7	10.1	15.6	13.7	20.2	3.6	3.2	6.8	5.7	6.1	3.2	11.5	122.4	47.7
1967	24.4	11.2	16.6	15.1	22.0	3.8	3.3	7.4	6.2	6.4	3.5	12.8	132.7	55.4

(a) Includes Fresh Fruit and Vegetables, Confectionery, Soft Drinks, Ice Cream, Cakes, Pastry, Cooked Provisions, Fish, etc., but excludes most delivered Milk and some delivered Bread.
 (b) Excludes sales made by licensed clubs. (c) Excludes Basic Building Materials, Builders' Hardware and Supplies, such as Tools of Trade, Paint, etc. (d) Includes Tobacco, Cigarettes, Jewellery, Sporting Goods, etc., but excludes Grain and Produce, and Business Machines. (e) Excludes Tractors, Farm Machinery and Implements, Earth-moving Equipment, etc.

No. 54 — Instalment Credit for Retail Sales: Retail Businesses and Non-Retail Finance Businesses
(\$ million)

Period	Amount Financed during period (excluding Hiring Charges, Interest and Insurance)				Balances Outstanding at end of Period (including Hiring Charges, etc.)
	Motor Vehicles, Tractors, etc.	Plant and Machinery	Household and Personal Goods (a)	Total	

HIRE PURCHASE					
Year—					
1962-63	40.0	6.2	12.4	58.6	86.8
1963-64	44.4	5.9	10.4	60.8	91.5
1964-65	42.2	7.8	10.3	60.3	93.2
1965-66	46.1	10.5	10.7	67.4	98.7
1966-67	48.7	11.4	11.5	71.5	101.1
Quarter—					
1964—December	10.8	2.6	2.7	16.1	95.2
1965—March	10.3	1.8	2.4	14.5	90.8
June	10.8	2.2	2.6	15.6	93.2
September	10.6	1.2	2.6	14.4	95.0
December	11.4	3.5	2.8	17.7	98.1
1966—March	11.3	2.6	2.6	16.5	93.5
June	12.9	3.3	2.7	18.8	98.7
September	12.3	2.1	2.9	*17.4	101.5
December	12.5	3.7	3.1	*19.3	106.4
1967—March	11.4	2.4	2.6	16.4	100.4
June	12.5	3.2	2.9	18.5	101.1
September	12.7	2.3	3.1	18.2	107.6
December	14.6	3.8	3.6	22.0	115.0

OTHER INSTALMENT CREDIT (b)

Year—					
1962-63	3.7	0.2	10.2	14.0	17.6
1963-64	5.0	0.2	9.0	14.1	17.3
1964-65	5.2	0.1	9.8	15.1	16.8
1965-66	5.7	0.8	9.6	15.9	17.0
1966-67	11.6	2.8	11.8	26.3	25.8
Quarter					
1964—December	1.3	(c)	3.1	4.4	17.6
1965—March	1.2	(c)	1.9	3.2	16.8
June	1.2	0.1	2.6	3.9	16.8
September	1.3	0.1	2.2	3.6	16.6
December	1.4	0.3	2.9	4.6	17.2
1966—March	1.2	0.2	1.8	3.2	16.4
June	1.6	0.2	2.7	*4.5	17.0
September	2.0	0.2	2.8	4.9	17.6
December	3.1	1.2	3.6	*7.9	20.9
1967—March	3.0	0.6	2.3	5.9	20.9
June	3.5	0.8	3.1	7.6	25.8
September	4.3	0.6	3.0	7.8	25.9
December	4.4	1.4	3.5	9.3	29.4

TOTAL

Year—					
1962-63	43.7	6.4	22.6	72.6	104.4
1963-64	49.4	6.1	19.4	74.9	108.9
1964-65	47.4	7.9	20.1	75.3	110.0
1965-66	51.8	11.3	20.3	83.3	115.7
1966-67	60.3	14.2	23.3	97.8	126.9
Quarter—					
1964—December	12.1	2.6	5.8	20.5	112.8
1965—March	11.5	1.8	4.3	17.7	107.7
June	12.0	2.3	5.2	19.5	110.0
September	11.9	1.3	4.8	18.0	112.1
December	12.8	3.8	5.7	22.3	115.3
1966—March	12.5	2.8	4.4	19.7	109.9
June	14.5	3.5	5.4	23.4	115.7
September	14.3	2.3	5.7	22.3	119.1
December	15.6	4.9	6.7	27.1	127.3
1967—March	14.4	3.0	4.9	22.3	121.4
June	16.0	4.0	6.0	26.1	126.9
September	17.0	2.9	6.1	26.0	133.4
December	19.0	5.2	7.1	31.3	144.5

(a) Includes furniture and furnishings, domestic refrigerators, electrical goods, radios, musical instruments, bicycles and other household and personal goods. (b) Includes Time Payment, Budget Account, Personal Loan Schemes, etc., in which repayment is made by regular predetermined instalments. (c) Less than \$50,000.

* Revised.

XVII—LENDING OPERATIONS OF CORPORATE FINANCE COMPANIES

NOTE—See letterpress *Finance Companies* on page 2.

No. 55—Amount Financed, according to Type of Agreement

(\$ million)

Period	Instalment Credit for Retail Sales	Wholesale Hire Purchase	Other Consumer and Commercial Loans and Factoring			Total
			Personal Loans	Mortgage Loans	Commercial Loans and Factoring (a)	
Year—						
1964-65	46.0	28.7	3.3	18.1	2.7	98.7
1965-66	52.2	35.9	3.3	17.0	4.1	112.5
1966-67	62.1	61.7	3.5	28.9	6.3	162.5
Month—						
1967—January	5.1	3.9	0.3	1.8	0.6	11.7
February	4.4	4.6	0.3	2.5	0.3	12.0
March	5.2	5.5	0.4	2.8	0.3	14.3
April	5.0	4.6	0.3	2.8	0.4	13.0
May	5.9	5.4	0.3	3.3	0.4	15.4
June	5.9	5.1	0.3	3.4	0.4	15.1
July	5.5	5.3	0.4	4.1	0.6	15.9
August	6.2	5.6	0.5	3.7	0.6	16.6
September	5.2	4.9	0.5	3.1	0.5	14.2
October	6.7	6.3	0.3	3.8	0.5	17.7
November	7.3	6.7	0.3	4.8	0.6	19.8
December	6.5	6.4	0.2	4.1	0.9	18.0
1968—January	6.8	4.3	0.2	3.6	0.4	15.3

(a) Separate details not available for publication.

No. 56—Collections and other Liquidations of Balances, according to Type of Agreement

(\$ million)

Period	Contracts with Unmatured Charges, Interest and Insurance written into Contracts at Time of Agreement			Contracts with Unmatured Charges, etc., not written into Contracts at Time of Agreement			Total, all Contracts
	Instalment Credit for Retail Sales	Other Consumer and Commercial Loans	Total	Wholesale Hire Purchase	Other Con- sumer and Commercial Loans and Factoring (a)	Total	
Year—							
1964-65	53.5	12.7	66.2	29.4	5.9	35.3	101.5
1965-66	58.6	18.0	76.6	34.7	6.5	41.2	117.9
1966-67	67.7	25.2	93.0	59.8	9.0	68.7	161.7
Month—							
1967—January	6.2	1.9	8.1	4.7	0.6	5.3	13.4
February	9.1	2.1	11.3	4.6	0.9	5.5	16.8
March	6.5	2.3	8.7	5.2	1.0	6.1	14.9
April	5.2	2.0	7.2	4.6	0.7	5.3	12.5
May	5.8	2.7	8.5	5.2	0.9	6.1	14.6
June	5.6	2.6	8.2	4.6	0.8	5.4	13.7
July	5.2	3.4	8.7	5.1	0.8	5.9	14.6
August	5.6	2.4	8.0	5.3	1.2	6.4	14.5
September	5.3	2.3	7.5	4.5	0.8	5.4	12.9
October	6.0	3.6	9.6	6.0	1.0	7.0	16.6
November	6.0	2.7	8.7	6.0	1.1	7.2	15.9
December	5.7	2.5	8.2	6.3	1.2	7.5	15.7
1968—January	7.4	2.5	9.9	5.6	1.1	6.7	16.6

(a) Separate details not available for publication.

No. 57—Balances Outstanding at End of Period, according to Type of Agreement

(\$ million)

Period	Contracts including Unmatured Charges, Interest and Insurance if written into Contracts at time of Agreement			Contracts excluding Unmatured Charges, (a), etc., if not written into Contracts at Time of Agreement			Total, all Contracts (c)
	Instalment Credit for Retail Sales	Other Consumer and Commercial Loans	Total	Wholesale Hire Purchase	Other Consumer and Commercial Loans and Factoring (b)	Total	
Year—							
1964-65	69.6	29.5	99.1	3.4	7.0	10.4	109.5
1965-66	76.2	33.2	109.3	5.0	9.9	14.9	124.2
1966-67	86.4	44.7	131.0	7.3	14.6	22.0	153.0
Month—							
1967—January	85.2	38.9	124.1	6.2	12.4	18.6	142.7
February	81.9	39.4	121.3	6.2	13.0	19.2	140.5
March	82.2	40.1	122.2	6.7	13.5	20.1	142.4
April	82.8	41.9	124.7	6.7	13.9	20.5	145.2
May	84.4	43.2	127.6	6.8	14.3	21.1	148.7
June	86.4	44.7	131.0	7.3	14.6	22.0	153.0
July	88.1	44.6	132.7	7.5	16.6	24.2	156.9
August	90.2	46.5	136.7	7.9	17.2	25.1	161.8
September	91.4	48.1	139.5	8.3	17.6	25.9	165.4
October	94.0	48.7	142.7	8.7	18.4	27.1	169.8
November	97.1	51.2	148.3	9.3	19.7	29.0	177.4
December	99.4	53.5	152.9	9.3	20.4	29.8	182.7
1968—January	100.7	54.7	155.4	8.0	21.1	29.1	184.5

(a) Includes hiring charges, interest and insurance accrued and unpaid at the end of period concerned. (b) Separate details not available for publication. (c) Amounts shown in this column are intended to provide a measure of total balances outstanding. It should be noted, however, that movements in this aggregate may be affected by changes in the proportions of the two components of the series to the total.

No. 58—Instalment Credit for Retail Sales : Amount Financed, Collections and Other Liquidations, and Balances Outstanding

(\$ million)

Period	Amount Financed During Period (a)					Collections and Other Liquidations During Period (b)			Balances Outstanding at end of Period (b)
	New Motor Vehicles, Tractors, etc.	Used Motor Vehicles, Tractors, etc.	Plant and Machinery	Household and Personal Goods	Total	Cash Collections	Other Liquidations (c)	Total	
Year—									
1964-65	17.5	22.3	5.2	1.2	46.0	52.0	1.5	53.5	69.6
1965-66	19.9	21.1	7.6	3.8	52.2	57.2	1.4	58.6	76.2
1966-67	24.4	24.1	9.1	4.3	62.1	65.0	2.6	67.7	86.4
Month—									
1967—January	2.2	2.0	0.7	0.3	5.1	6.0	0.2	6.2	85.2
February	1.7	1.7	0.6	0.3	4.4	8.9	0.2	9.1	81.9
March	2.1	2.0	0.8	0.3	5.2	6.3	0.2	6.5	82.2
April	1.9	1.9	0.8	0.4	5.0	5.0	0.2	5.2	82.8
May	2.1	2.3	1.0	0.4	5.9	5.6	0.2	5.8	84.4
June	2.4	2.4	0.7	0.4	5.9	5.3	0.3	5.6	86.4
July	2.3	2.2	0.6	0.4	5.5	5.0	0.2	5.2	88.1
August	2.8	2.4	0.5	0.5	6.2	5.3	0.3	5.6	90.2
September	2.2	2.1	0.5	0.4	5.2	5.1	0.2	5.3	91.4
October	2.6	2.6	1.1	0.4	6.7	5.8	0.2	6.0	94.0
November	2.8	2.6	1.3	0.5	7.3	5.8	0.2	6.0	97.1
December	2.7	2.2	1.1	0.5	6.5	5.5	0.2	5.7	99.4
1968—January	2.9	2.6	0.9	0.4	6.8	7.2	0.2	7.4	100.7

(a) Excludes hiring and other charges, interest, insurance and initial deposits. (b) Includes hiring and other charges, interest and insurance. (c) Comprises bad debts written off, and rebates for early payouts.

XVIII—MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS

In Western Australia there is no single authority responsible for the licensing of vehicles. The Traffic Branch of the Police Department licenses vehicles in the Metropolitan Traffic Area as defined in Regulations made under the Traffic Act, 1919-1967. Outside the Metropolitan Traffic Area each Town or Shire Council is responsible for the licensing of vehicles in its own district.

No. 59—Motor Vehicles on Register

Date (End of Month)	Metropolitan Traffic Area (a)				Whole State (b) (c)			
	Motor Cars and Station Wagons	Utilities, Vans, Trucks, Omnibuses	Motor Cycles (including Motor Scooters)	Total	Motor Cars and Station Wagons	Utilities, Vans, Trucks, Omnibuses	Motor Cycles (including Motor Scooters)	Total
1955—December (d)	60,210	22,743	8,830	91,783	95,032	61,161	13,012	169,205
1957—December	68,776	23,488	8,742	101,006	108,027	62,664	12,560	183,251
1958—December	75,113	24,288	8,777	108,178	116,260	64,251	12,665	193,176
1959—December	81,120	25,643	8,838	115,601	125,546	67,308	12,860	205,714
1960—December	89,558	26,328	8,805	124,691	137,333	70,219	12,716	220,268
1961—December	96,600	27,139	8,751	132,490	147,696	72,289	12,450	232,435
1962—December (d)	110,028	28,486	8,714	147,228	165,637	75,531	12,257	253,425
1963—December	122,025	29,010	7,762	158,797	181,424	77,738	10,960	270,122
1964—December	131,793	29,700	6,738	168,231	195,818	78,470	9,602	283,890
1965—December	141,883	31,206	6,131	179,220	210,737	82,735	8,943	302,420
1966—March	144,840	31,966	6,168	182,974	213,911	83,484	8,966	306,361
June	148,505	32,483	6,030	187,018	219,816	84,423	8,777	313,016
September	154,656	33,828	6,134	194,618	225,044	85,651	8,692	317,334
December	159,442	34,783	6,241	200,466	231,016	86,554	8,857	327,327
1967—March	162,299	35,377	6,235	203,821	235,210	87,411	8,849	331,470
June	166,032	35,595	6,194	207,821	240,519	87,661	8,881	337,061
September	167,965	35,844	6,135	209,944	242,882	87,163	8,887	338,932
December	174,375	37,323	6,352	218,050	251,731	90,862	9,268	(e) 351,861

(a) As constituted under the Traffic Act and Regulations. The Metropolitan Traffic Area was enlarged, with effect from 1 October 1966, to include the whole of the Shire of Armadale-Kelmscott instead of, as formerly, only part of the Shire. (b) Includes Commonwealth-owned vehicles (other than those of the defence services) listed with the Commonwealth Registry, Canberra. At 31 December 1967 there were in Western Australia 1,776 such vehicles comprising 183 motor cars, 274 station wagons, 452 utilities, 333 panel vans, 497 trucks, 18 omnibuses and 19 motor cycles.

(c) Current statistics, as well as annual statistics back to 1945, are also available for the Perth Statistical Division, which was constituted, with effect from 1 January 1966, by amalgamation of the former Metropolitan and Swan Statistical Divisions. At 31 December 1967 there were 226,390 motor vehicles on register in the Perth Statistical Division. They comprised 149,345 motor cars, 30,584 station wagons, 39,896 utilities, vans, trucks, and omnibuses, and 6,565 motor cycles and motor scooters. (d) Census figures, 31 December. (e) Comprises 206,109 cars, 45,622 station wagons, 43,325 utilities, 12,689 panel vans, 33,003 trucks, 1,840 omnibuses (including 50 trolley-buses) and 9,268 motor cycles and motor scooters.

No. 60—Registrations of New Motor Vehicles

Period	Metropolitan Traffic Area (a)					Whole State (b) (c)				
	Motor Cars	Station Wagons	Utilities, Vans, Trucks, Omnibuses	Motor Cycles (d)	Total	Motor Cars	Station Wagons	Utilities, Vans, Trucks, Omnibuses	Motor Cycles (d)	Total
1958	5,794	762	1,957	1,306	9,819	9,548	1,290	4,827	1,860	17,525
1959	5,957	1,205	2,474	1,615	11,251	9,785	1,962	5,739	2,187	19,673
1960	8,172	1,774	2,430	1,053	13,429	12,713	2,951	5,721	1,470	22,855
1961	6,947	1,871	2,251	591	11,660	10,670	3,228	5,174	903	19,975
1962	11,161	3,220	2,833	651	17,865	16,670	5,151	6,142	898	28,861
1963	12,594	3,766	3,036	470	19,866	18,426	6,049	6,882	683	32,040
1964	11,602	3,675	3,194	369	18,840	17,128	5,982	7,042	568	30,720
1965	11,574	3,374	3,691	387	19,026	16,988	5,706	8,130	588	31,412
1966	13,583	3,787	4,171	595	22,136	20,354	6,307	9,070	926	36,657
1967	16,195	4,055	4,997	807	26,054	23,413	6,394	9,970	1,317	41,094
1967—										
February	1,198	276	356	107	1,937	1,699	435	703	143	2,980
March	1,231	325	405	81	2,042	1,846	530	866	106	3,348
April	1,115	292	365	49	1,821	1,642	484	718	86	2,930
May	1,295	305	447	70	2,117	1,850	480	843	112	3,255
June	1,377	302	456	49	2,184	2,011	527	880	87	3,505
July	1,389	355	387	42	2,173	1,971	555	771	114	3,441
August	1,489	340	440	51	2,320	2,059	535	857	97	3,548
September	1,250	343	389	38	2,020	1,867	505	844	87	3,303
October	1,514	429	516	88	2,547	2,092	598	963	127	3,780
November	1,666	401	480	90	2,637	2,374	630	1,083	141	4,228
December	1,590	416	459	74	2,539	2,355	638	823	113	3,929
1968—										
January	1,222	273	440	86	2,021	1,809	453	883	158	3,303
February	1,621	436	424	140	2,621	2,251	641	780	211	3,833

(a) See note (a) to previous table. (b) Includes Commonwealth-owned vehicles other than those of the defence services. (c) Statistics are also available for the Perth Statistical Division; see also note (c) to previous table. During the twelve months ended December 1967, registrations of new motor vehicles in the Perth Statistical Division numbered 26,668, comprising 16,533 motor cars, 4,146 station wagons, 5,155 utilities, vans, trucks and omnibuses, and 834 motor cycles and motor scooters. (d) Includes motor scooters.

XIX—ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

No. 61—Road Traffic Accidents and Casualties

Period	Accidents			Casualties							Total	
	Non-casualty	Casualty	Total	Motor-vehicle Drivers	Motor Cyclists	Pedal Cyclists	Pas-sengers	Pedes-trians	Other		Killed	Injured
	(a)				(b)							
METROPOLITAN TRAFFIC AREA (c)												
Year—												
1963	6,207	2,913	9,120	1,175	438	395	1,234	596	6	110	3,734	
1964	7,658	2,859	10,517	1,276	363	316	1,279	607	8	88	3,761	
1965	10,126	3,001	13,127	1,384	331	312	1,315	690	3	105	3,930	
1966	10,896	3,174	14,070	1,626	317	301	1,497	675	5	115	4,306	
1967	12,659	3,522	16,181	1,936	304	300	1,610	729	5	110	4,774	
Quarter—												
1966—												
Dec.	2,557	836	3,393	434	90	82	382	162	2	26	1,126	
1967—												
March	2,486	713	3,199	359	78	68	312	131	13	935	
June	3,477	938	4,415	479	72	93	411	207	1	30	1,233	
Sept.	3,709	978	4,687	575	71	73	485	217	1	33	1,389	
Dec.	2,987	893	3,880	523	83	66	402	174	3	34	1,217	
Month—												
1966—												
Oct.	852	272	1,124	146	24	21	118	57	2	12	356	
Nov.	767	247	1,014	123	36	34	90	42	6	319	
Dec.	938	317	1,255	165	30	27	174	63	8	451	
1967—												
Jan.	818	237	1,055	119	30	21	124	39	6	327	
Feb.	789	219	1,008	109	27	17	94	38	4	281	
March	879	257	1,136	131	21	30	94	54	3	327	
April	986	313	1,299	146	28	44	127	71	12	404	
May	1,210	298	1,508	151	20	23	130	71	9	386	
June	1,281	327	1,608	182	24	26	154	65	1	9	443	
July	1,468	345	1,813	209	20	29	166	76	10	490	
Aug.	1,193	341	1,534	207	27	23	173	81	15	496	
Sept.	1,048	292	1,340	159	24	21	146	60	1	8	403	
Oct.	958	268	1,226	163	25	16	134	44	2	9	375	
Nov.	964	297	1,261	151	32	31	110	70	11	383	
Dec.	1,065	328	1,393	209	26	19	158	60	1	14	459	
WHOLE STATE (d)												
Year—												
1963	8,583	4,057	12,640	1,924	522	446	2,004	690	11	198	5,399	
1964	10,283	4,062	14,345	2,059	424	380	2,081	718	10	222	5,450	
1965	12,730	4,170	16,900	2,189	383	370	2,143	802	3	252	5,638	
1966	13,856	4,346	18,202	2,452	346	353	2,328	765	6	253	5,997	
1967	15,908	4,659	20,567	2,793	335	343	2,383	821	7	256	6,426	
Quarter—												
1966—												
Dec.	3,315	1,154	4,469	642	94	97	617	189	3	60	1,582	
1967—												
March	3,239	1,014	4,253	577	90	76	521	154	1	51	1,368	
June	4,334	1,225	5,559	680	76	103	641	229	2	57	1,674	
Sept.	4,529	1,272	5,801	790	80	91	670	246	1	79	1,799	
Dec.	3,806	1,148	4,954	746	89	73	551	192	3	69	1,585	
Month—												
1966—												
Oct.	1,112	382	1,494	216	26	27	186	65	2	23	499	
Nov.	989	329	1,318	183	37	35	159	46	19	441	
Dec.	1,214	443	1,657	243	31	35	272	78	1	18	642	
1967—												
Jan.	1,099	339	1,438	192	34	23	206	44	18	461	
Feb.	1,000	308	1,308	180	31	18	153	44	1	17	410	
March	1,140	367	1,507	205	25	35	162	66	16	477	
April	1,263	412	1,675	216	28	48	211	77	25	555	
May	1,492	390	1,882	217	23	27	190	81	17	521	
June	1,579	423	2,002	247	25	28	240	71	2	15	598	
July	1,779	447	2,226	284	24	35	235	91	24	645	
Aug.	1,474	449	1,923	291	28	29	247	89	33	651	
Sept.	1,276	376	1,652	215	28	27	188	66	1	22	503	
Oct.	1,214	357	1,571	240	26	20	192	49	2	21	508	
Nov.	1,219	377	1,596	219	35	33	147	76	23	487	
Dec.	1,373	414	1,787	287	28	20	212	67	1	25	590	

(a) Non-casualty accidents are those which do not result in death or injury, but where total damage to property is estimated to be more than \$50. (b) Includes riders of motor scooters. (c) As defined in Regulations made under the Traffic Act, 1919-1967. See note (a) to Table 59. (d) Statistics for the Perth Statistical Division from January 1966 are also available on request.

XX—POPULATION CENSUS: 30 JUNE 1961 AND 1966

The tables in this section contain some final results of the Population Census taken on 30 June 1966.

Particulars of full-blood Aborigines are excluded throughout the tables; see notes *Population Census, 30 June 1966* and *Population and Vital Statistics* on page 2.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Delimitation of Urban Boundaries—For the purpose of presenting statistics obtained at the Census of 30 June 1966, new methods have been used in the delimitation of metropolitan areas and certain other urban centres. Briefly, these are as follows:

- (i) Around each capital city and each town with a population of 75,000 or more *two* boundaries have been drawn.

The *outer* boundary, which is fixed, circumscribes the area in close economic and social contact with the main city or town. These areas are designated Statistical Divisions (for State capital cities) or Statistical Districts (for Canberra and some other cities).

The *inner* boundary indicates the area within which, at the time of the census, there was a density of at least 500 persons per square mile. This density is determined for each Census collector's district (the smallest geographical area available). From census to census as urbanisation proceeds this *inner* boundary will move outwards to encompass peripheral development. Some specified areas of lower density (e.g., industrial areas) are classified as urban on other grounds.

- (ii) The principal urban centre within each Capital City Statistical Division has been designated the "Metropolitan Area".

- (iii) Population clusters of 1,000 or more persons having a minimum density of 500 persons per square mile have been designated "Urban Centres".

In determining the outer boundary of each Capital City Statistical Division the aim has been to delimit, for at least two or three decades, the region expected to be in close contact with the inner urban area, after making allowances for further urban development, including satellite towns, improvements in transport, and other factors. The Perth Statistical Division comprises the area formed by amalgamation of the former Metropolitan and Swan Statistical Divisions.

A detailed statement on the concepts and criteria adopted in the delimitation of metropolitan areas and other urban centres is contained in *Field Count Statement No. 4—Population: Principal Urban Centres of Australia* published November 1966 by the Commonwealth Statistician, Canberra.

For the Metropolitan Area and other Urban Centres which are delineated by moving boundaries, as described above, boundaries for 1961 have been redrawn according to the new criteria. The urban populations within these boundaries are shown in Table 66 for comparison with the 1966 data. The intercensal increase or decrease between 1961 and 1966 may therefore reflect population change within the original 1961 boundary; urban growth beyond the original boundary; or the merging of Other Urban areas with the Metropolitan Area.

Rural Population—The "Rural" population comprises persons other than those enumerated in the Perth Metropolitan Area or "Other Urban Centres". It also excludes persons classified as "Migratory".

Migratory Population—The population classified as "Migratory" comprises persons (both passengers and crew) who, at midnight on Census night, were enumerated on board ships in Western Australian ports, or ships which had left Australian ports before Census night for ports in Western Australia. It includes also those who were enumerated on long-distance trains, motor coaches or aircraft.

Dwellings—"Private" and "non-private" dwellings are included. For the purpose of the Census, an *occupied dwelling* is any habitation occupied by a household group living together as a domestic unit, and may comprise the whole of a building or only part of it. The term has therefore a very wide reference and includes, in addition to houses and flats, a great variety of dwellings ranging from a single-roomed shack to a multi-roomed hotel or institution. *Unoccupied dwellings* include vacant dwellings available for sale or renting; dwellings such as week-enders or holiday homes and seasonal workers' quarters which were not occupied on Census night; dwellings normally occupied but whose occupants were temporarily absent on the night of the Census; newly-completed dwellings whose owners or tenants had not entered into occupation on Census night; dwellings described as "to be demolished", "condemned", "exhibition home", etc.; and buildings constructed as dwellings but used for non-dwelling purposes on the night of the Census. The total number of unoccupied dwellings does not, therefore, represent the number of vacant houses and flats available for sale or renting.

Local Government Areas—In Western Australia local government areas are designated Cities, Towns or Shires. The names and designations used are those which were current at 30 June 1966. Between the Censuses, some new Shires were constituted, some local government areas were amalgamated, and there were some changes of name and of designation. These are listed below.

- (i) The Town of North Fremantle was annexed to the City of Fremantle with effect from 1 November 1961.
- (ii) Mosman Park, formerly a Shire, was declared to be a Town with effect from 26 January 1962.
- (iii) The Shire of Coorow was constituted, with effect from 1 July 1962, by severance of territory from the Shires of Carnamah, Dalwallinu and Perenjori.
- (iv) Melville, formerly a Shire, was declared to be a Town with effect from 28 September 1962.
- (v) The Shire of Exmouth was constituted, with effect from 1 January 1964, by severance of territory from the Shire of Gascoyne-Minilya.
- (vi) The Town of Carnarvon was amalgamated with the Shire of Gascoyne-Minilya to form the Shire of Carnarvon, with effect from 1 March 1965.
- (vii) The Town of York was amalgamated with the Shire of York, with effect from 15 March 1965, to form one local government area named the Shire of York.
- (viii) The name of the Shire of Geraldton-Greenough was changed to the Shire of Greenough, with effect from 19 March 1965.
- (ix) The name of the Shire of Trayning-Kununoppin-Yelbeni was changed to the Shire of Trayning, with effect from 10 September 1965.

The particulars shown in Tables 64-66 for 30 June 1961 in respect of all local government areas mentioned in (i), (iii), (v), (vi) and (vii) above relate to the 1966 boundaries and have been derived, where necessary, from an examination of the 1961 Census schedules.

In addition, there were some other boundary changes which resulted in a change in the population of local government areas. In these cases the 1961 population (and dwellings) have been similarly adjusted to the 1966 boundaries.

**No. 62—Population : Statistical Divisions, Intercensal Increase
30 June 1961 to 30 June 1966**

Statistical Division	Population		Proportion of Total (per cent)		Inter- censal Increase of Population (a)
	Census, 30 June—		Census, 30 June—		
	1961	1966	1961	1966	
Perth Statistical Division	475,398	558,821	64.54	66.79	83,423
Other Divisions—					
South-West	71,637	72,823	9.72	8.70	1,186
Southern Agricultural	41,623	44,528	5.65	5.32	2,905
Central Agricultural	57,590	58,396	7.82	6.98	806
Northern Agricultural	35,768	38,269	4.86	4.57	2,501
Eastern Goldfields	34,142	33,930	4.63	4.06	— 212
Central	3,980	3,486	0.54	0.42	— 494
North-West	4,563	8,355	0.62	1.00	3,792
Pilbara	3,243	7,383	0.44	0.88	4,140
Kimberley	5,668	7,644	0.77	0.91	1,976
Total	258,214	274,314	35.05	32.85	16,600
Total, All Divisions	733,612	833,635	99.59	99.64	100,023
Migratory (b)	3,017	3,038	0.41	0.36	21
TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	736,629	836,673	100.00	100.00	100,044

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

(b) See note *Migratory Population* on page 47.

**No. 63—Population : Statistical Divisions, Analysis of Increase
30 June 1961 to 30 June 1966**

Statistical Division	Intercensal Increase of Population (a)				
	By Natural Increase (b)	By Migration	Total		
			Number	Per cent	Average Annual Rate (per cent)
Perth Statistical Division	28,079	55,344	83,423	17.55	3.29
Other Divisions—					
South-West	5,673	— 4,487	1,186	1.66	0.33
Southern Agricultural	3,930	— 1,025	2,905	6.98	1.36
Central Agricultural	6,074	— 5,268	806	1.40	0.28
Northern Agricultural	4,133	— 1,632	2,501	6.99	1.36
Eastern Goldfields	2,910	— 3,122	— 212	— 0.62	— 0.12
Central	453	— 947	— 494	—12.41	— 2.62
North-West	584	3,208	3,792	83.10	12.86
Pilbara	495	3,645	4,140	127.66	17.88
Kimberley	791	1,185	1,976	34.86	6.16
Total	25,043	— 8,443	16,600	6.43	1.25
Total, All Divisions	53,122	46,901	100,023	13.63	2.59
Migratory (c)	n.a.	21	21	0.70	n.a.
TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	53,122	46,922	100,044	13.58	2.58

n.a. denotes "not applicable".

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

(b) Excess of births over deaths.

(c) See note *Migratory Population* on page 47.

No. 64—Population : Local Government Areas, Intercensal Increase
1961 to 1966

Local Government Area (a)	Census, 30 June 1961	Census, 30 June 1966			Intercensal Increase or Decrease	
		Males	Females	Persons	Numerical	Percentage
ALBANY	10,526	5,598	5,821	11,419	893	8.48
Albany	2,749	1,714	1,533	3,247	498	18.12
Armada-Kelmscott	6,469	3,934	3,906	7,840	1,371	21.19
Ashburton	569	421	213	634	65	11.42
Augusta-Margaret River	3,590	1,689	1,549	3,238	— 352	— 9.81
Balingup	1,243	628	567	1,195	— 48	— 3.86
Bassendean	8,310	4,866	4,881	9,747	1,437	17.29
Bayswater	19,296	12,932	13,180	26,112	6,816	35.32
Belmont	20,393	13,366	13,612	26,978	6,585	32.29
Beverley	1,899	922	851	1,773	— 126	— 6.64
Boddington	967	389	372	761	— 206	— 21.30
BOULDER	5,773	2,685	2,549	5,234	— 539	— 9.34
Bridgetown	2,971	1,456	1,346	2,802	— 169	— 5.69
Brookton	1,319	729	612	1,341	22	1.67
Broome	1,462	1,184	739	1,923	461	31.53
Broomehill	783	390	355	745	— 38	— 4.85
Bruce Rock	2,291	1,146	996	2,142	— 149	— 6.50
BUNBURY	13,186	7,759	7,670	15,459	2,273	17.24
Busselton	6,120	3,427	3,406	6,833	713	11.65
Canning	17,701	11,806	11,798	23,604	5,903	33.35
Capel	1,877	1,112	1,020	2,132	255	13.59
Carnamah (b)	959	548	448	996	37	3.86
Carnarvon (b)	3,212	2,570	2,076	4,646	1,434	44.65
Chapman Valley (b)	1,006	442	364	806	— 200	— 19.88
Chittering	1,004	596	479	1,075	71	7.07
CLAREMONT	8,601	4,224	4,714	8,938	337	3.92
Cockburn	7,007	7,048	6,799	13,847	6,840	97.62
Collie	8,486	4,339	4,205	8,544	58	0.68
Coolgardie	1,043	428	334	762	— 281	— 26.94
Coorow (b)	782	447	361	808	26	3.32
Corrigin	2,123	1,157	942	2,099	— 24	— 1.13
COTTESLOE	7,827	3,769	4,353	8,122	295	3.77
Cranbrook	1,360	820	599	1,419	59	4.34
Cuballing	833	410	322	732	— 101	— 12.12
Cue	466	256	174	430	— 36	— 7.73
Cunderdin	2,014	1,159	955	2,114	100	4.97
Dalwallinu (b)	2,197	1,381	1,044	2,425	228	10.38
Dandaragan	456	384	235	619	163	35.76
Dardanup	1,606	845	820	1,665	59	3.67
Denmark	1,864	926	849	1,775	— 89	— 4.77
Donnybrook	2,258	1,113	1,025	2,138	— 120	— 5.31
Dowerin	1,392	727	573	1,300	— 92	— 6.61
Dumbleyung	1,444	799	659	1,458	14	0.97
Dundas	2,937	1,547	1,235	2,782	— 155	— 5.28
EAST FREMANTLE	6,542	3,462	3,446	6,908	366	5.59
Esperance	2,285	2,669	2,185	4,854	2,569	112.43
Exmouth (b)	41	1,841	407	2,248	2,207	5,382.93
FREMANTLE (b)	24,343	13,045	12,239	25,284	941	3.87
GERALDTON	10,894	6,245	5,880	12,125	1,231	11.30
Gingin	769	541	480	1,021	252	32.77
Gnowangerup	3,190	2,076	1,739	3,815	625	19.59
Goomalling	1,567	829	738	1,567	—	—
Gosnells	9,504	5,726	5,648	11,374	1,870	19.68
Greenbushes	666	366	314	680	14	2.10
Greenough (b)	1,784	865	729	1,594	— 190	— 10.65
Halls Creek	436	380	197	577	141	32.34
Harvey	6,834	3,464	3,079	6,543	— 291	— 4.26
Irwin	657	423	387	810	153	23.29
Kalamunda	7,524	4,847	4,938	9,785	2,261	30.05
KALGOORLIE	9,696	4,831	4,343	9,174	— 522	— 5.38
Kalgoorlie	7,294	3,568	3,095	6,663	— 631	— 8.65
Katanning	4,293	2,278	2,210	4,488	195	4.54
Kellerberrin	2,420	1,224	1,143	2,367	— 53	— 2.19
Kojonup	2,667	1,458	1,253	2,711	44	1.65
Kondinin	1,278	700	562	1,262	— 16	— 1.25
Koorda	935	642	438	1,080	145	15.51
Kulin	1,261	820	573	1,393	132	10.47
Kwinana	4,663	2,951	2,826	5,777	1,114	23.89
Lake Grace	1,843	1,119	867	1,986	143	7.76
Laverton	216	118	88	206	— 10	— 4.63
Leonora	1,241	375	248	623	— 618	— 49.80
Mandurah	2,236	1,473	1,535	3,008	772	34.53
Manjimup	10,195	4,799	4,369	9,168	— 1,027	— 10.07
Marble Bar	404	369	198	567	163	40.35
Meekatharra	1,071	574	437	1,011	— 60	— 5.60
MELVILLE	39,207	23,561	24,326	47,887	8,680	22.14
Menzies	512	275	129	404	— 108	— 21.09
Merredin	4,563	2,941	2,356	5,297	734	16.09
MIDLAND	9,256	4,766	4,569	9,335	79	0.85
Mingenew	985	568	410	978	— 7	— 0.71
Moora	3,082	1,642	1,339	2,981	— 101	— 3.28
Morawa	1,317	965	753	1,718	401	30.45
MOSMAN PARK	5,862	2,647	3,146	5,793	— 69	— 1.18
Mount Magnet (b)	1,119	590	426	1,016	— 103	— 9.20
Mount Marshall	1,091	759	546	1,305	214	19.62
Mukinbudin	707	499	370	869	162	22.91

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**No. 64—Population : Local Government Areas, Intercensal Increase
1961 to 1966—continued**

Local Government Area (a)	Census, 30 June 1961	Census, 30 June 1966			Intercensal Increase or Decrease	
		Males	Females	Persons	Numerical	Percentage
Mullewa	1,627	1,077	748	1,825	198	12.17
Mundaring	8,104	4,511	4,414	8,925	821	10.13
Murchison	320	177	106	283	— 37	— 11.56
Murray	3,592	1,699	1,630	3,329	— 263	— 7.32
Nannup	1,636	727	545	1,272	— 364	— 22.25
Narembeen	1,558	868	722	1,590	32	2.05
NARROGIN	4,620	2,396	2,465	4,861	241	5.22
Narrogin	972	592	418	1,010	38	3.91
NEDLANDS	23,218	11,349	11,971	23,320	102	0.44
NORTHAM	7,200	3,825	3,575	7,400	200	2.78
Northam (b)	2,863	1,486	1,208	2,694	— 169	— 5.90
Northampton	1,821	1,093	928	2,021	200	10.98
Nullagine	171	170	41	211	40	23.39
Nungarin	608	294	245	539	— 69	— 11.35
Nyabing-Pingrup	834	625	442	1,067	233	27.94
Peppermint Grove	1,502	619	982	1,601	99	6.59
Perenjori	1,277	758	553	1,311	34	2.66
PERTH	94,508	46,691	49,532	96,223	1,715	1.81
Perth	84,045	56,086	58,324	114,410	30,365	36.13
Pingelly	1,639	726	727	1,453	— 186	— 11.35
Plantagenet	4,502	2,483	2,183	4,666	164	3.64
Port Hedland	1,120	2,149	859	3,008	1,888	168.57
Quairading	1,789	893	794	1,687	— 102	— 5.70
Ravensthorpe	587	476	306	782	195	33.22
Rockingham	2,583	2,220	2,163	4,383	1,800	69.69
Roebourne	568	1,443	339	1,782	1,214	213.78
Sandstone	163	83	52	135	— 28	— 17.18
Serpentine-Jarrahdale	1,830	990	738	1,728	— 102	— 5.57
Shark Bay	387	305	168	473	86	22.22
SOUTH PERTH	29,941	15,421	16,621	32,042	2,101	7.02
SUBIACO	16,033	7,449	9,172	16,621	588	3.67
Swan-Guildford	9,397	5,348	4,452	9,800	403	4.29
Tableland	980	1,416	399	1,815	835	85.20
Tambellup	940	503	448	951	11	1.17
Tammin	847	440	388	828	— 19	— 2.24
Three Springs	972	546	492	1,038	66	6.79
Toodyay	1,365	722	666	1,388	23	1.68
Trayning	935	533	447	980	45	4.81
Upper Blackwood	2,381	1,210	1,017	2,227	— 154	— 6.47
Upper Gascoyne	354	246	108	354	—	—
Victoria Plains	2,034	992	793	1,785	— 249	— 12.24
Wagin	2,627	1,457	1,317	2,774	147	5.60
Wandering	661	325	286	611	— 50	— 7.56
Wanneroo	1,732	1,238	1,199	2,437	705	40.70
Waroona	1,793	935	894	1,829	36	2.01
West Arthur	1,398	782	645	1,427	29	2.07
West Kimberley	2,249	1,668	1,027	2,695	446	19.83
Westonia	435	371	241	612	177	40.69
Wickepin	1,276	773	607	1,380	104	8.15
Williams	1,330	641	552	1,193	— 137	— 10.30
Wiluna	316	114	105	219	— 97	— 30.70
Wongan-Ballidu	2,145	1,321	1,012	2,333	188	8.76
Woodanilling	603	317	283	580	— 23	— 3.81
Wyalkatchem	1,383	660	592	1,252	— 131	— 9.47
Wyndham-East Kimberley	1,521	1,652	797	2,449	928	61.01
Yalgoo (b)	525	246	146	392	— 133	— 25.33
Yilgarn	2,558	1,444	1,002	2,446	— 112	— 4.38
York (b)	2,416	1,193	1,034	2,277	— 139	— 5.75
Total	733,612	424,183	409,452	833,635	100,023	13.63
Migratory (c)	3,017	2,508	530	3,038	21	0.70
TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	736,629	426,691	409,982	836,673	100,044	13.58

NOTE—Minus sign (—) indicates decrease in population.

(a) The names of Cities and Towns are shown in capital letters ; all other local government areas are Shires.
 (b) Indicates those local government areas where a boundary change between the 1961 and 1966 Censuses resulted in a change in the population of the local government area ; see also page 48. In order to eliminate population changes due to boundary changes and to provide a comparison with the 1966 population figures, the 1961 local government area populations shown in the table have been adjusted to the boundaries used in 1966. (c) Refers to persons (both passengers and crew) who, at midnight on Census night, were enumerated on board ships in Western Australian ports, or ships which had left Australian ports before Census night for ports in Western Australia. It includes also those who were enumerated on long-distance trains, motor coaches or aircraft.

No. 65—Population and Dwellings : Censuses, 1961 and 1966
Local Government Areas and Statistical Divisions

Local Government Area (a)	Census, 30 June 1961		Census, 30 June 1966					
	Popu- lation	Dwell- ings (b) (c)	Population			Dwellings (b)		
			Males	Females	Persons	Occu- pied	Unoc- cupied	Total
PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION								
Armadale-Kelmscott	6,469	1,957	3,934	3,906	7,840	2,108	180	2,288
Bassendean	8,310	2,303	4,866	4,881	9,747	2,651	70	2,721
Bayswater	19,296	5,279	12,932	13,180	26,112	6,925	207	7,132
Belmont	20,393	5,357	13,306	13,612	26,978	6,877	173	7,050
Canning	17,701	4,634	11,806	11,798	23,604	6,012	207	6,219
CLAREMONT	8,601	2,447	4,224	4,714	8,938	2,562	92	2,654
Cockburn	7,007	2,170	7,048	6,799	13,847	3,477	410	3,887
COTTESLOE	7,827	2,745	3,769	4,353	8,122	2,918	218	3,136
EAST FREMANTLE	6,542	1,953	3,462	3,446	6,908	1,997	65	2,062
FREMANTLE	24,343	6,570	13,045	12,239	25,284	6,808	227	7,035
Gosnells	9,504	2,746	5,726	5,648	11,374	3,049	166	3,215
Kalamunda	7,524	2,275	4,847	4,938	9,785	2,597	243	2,840
Kwinana	4,663	1,316	2,951	2,826	5,777	1,351	105	1,456
MELVILLE	39,207	10,436	23,561	24,326	47,887	12,831	301	13,132
MIDLAND	9,256	2,486	4,766	4,569	9,335	2,479	60	2,539
MOSMAN PARK	5,862	1,695	2,647	3,146	5,793	1,733	71	1,804
Mundaring	8,104	2,499	4,511	4,414	8,925	2,483	275	2,758
NEDLANDS	23,218	6,061	11,349	11,971	23,320	6,115	184	6,299
Peppermint Grove	1,502	475	619	982	1,601	458	20	478
PERTH	94,508	27,846	46,691	49,532	96,223	28,466	1,110	29,576
Perth	84,045	23,269	56,086	58,324	114,410	30,848	1,025	31,873
Rockingham	2,583	2,058	2,220	2,163	4,383	1,376	1,627	3,003
Serpentine-Jarrahdale	1,830	501	990	738	1,728	437	67	504
SOUTH PERTH	29,941	8,578	15,421	16,621	32,042	9,836	328	10,164
SUBIACO	16,033	5,404	7,449	9,172	16,621	5,605	203	5,808
Swan-Guildford	9,397	2,424	5,348	4,452	9,800	2,339	191	2,530
Wanneroo	1,732	737	1,238	1,199	2,437	646	386	1,032
TOTAL, DIVISION	475,398	136,221	274,872	283,949	558,821	154,984	8,211	163,195

SOUTH-WEST STATISTICAL DIVISION

Augusta-Margaret River	3,590	1,080	1,689	1,549	3,238	906	187	1,093
Balingup	1,243	374	628	567	1,195	319	41	360
Boddington	967	296	389	372	761	216	39	255
Bridgetown	2,971	872	1,456	1,346	2,802	784	87	871
BUNBURY	13,186	3,537	7,789	7,670	15,459	4,019	245	4,264
Busselton	6,120	2,173	3,427	3,406	6,833	1,894	517	2,411
Capel	1,877	529	1,112	1,020	2,132	533	40	573
Collie	8,486	2,515	4,339	4,205	8,544	2,301	159	2,460
Dardanup	1,606	442	845	820	1,665	432	28	460
Donnybrook	2,258	658	1,113	1,025	2,138	569	68	637
Greenbushes	666	212	366	314	680	185	24	209
Harvey	6,834	1,947	3,464	3,079	6,543	1,655	240	1,895
Mandurah	2,236	1,955	1,473	1,535	3,008	1,196	1,650	2,846
Manjimup	10,195	2,817	4,799	4,369	9,168	2,371	531	2,902
Murray	3,592	1,263	1,699	1,630	3,329	897	490	1,387
Nannup	1,636	482	727	545	1,272	320	56	376
Upper Blackwood	2,381	684	1,210	1,017	2,227	624	79	703
Waroona	1,793	488	935	894	1,829	482	144	626
TOTAL, DIVISION	71,637	22,324	37,460	35,363	72,823	19,703	4,625	24,328

SOUTHERN AGRICULTURAL STATISTICAL DIVISION

ALBANY	10,526	3,082	5,598	5,821	11,419	3,097	329	3,426
Albany	2,749	909	1,714	1,533	3,247	898	112	1,010
Broomehill	783	203	390	355	745	190	24	214
Cranbrook	1,360	360	820	599	1,419	382	64	446
Denmark	1,864	645	926	849	1,775	504	256	760
Dumbleyung	1,444	395	799	659	1,458	387	33	420
Gnowangerup	3,190	884	2,076	1,739	3,815	926	80	1,006
Katanning	4,293	1,133	2,278	2,210	4,488	1,134	95	1,229
Kojonup	2,667	756	1,458	1,253	2,711	717	83	800
Lake Grace	1,843	450	1,119	867	1,986	496	14	510
Nyabing-Pingrup	834	219	625	442	1,067	272	7	279
Plantagenet	4,502	1,215	2,483	2,183	4,666	1,221	210	1,431
Tambellup	940	270	503	448	951	260	17	277
Wagin	2,627	683	1,457	1,317	2,774	689	56	745
West Arthur	1,398	407	782	645	1,427	374	55	429
Woodanilling	603	163	317	263	580	141	45	186
TOTAL, DIVISION	41,623	11,774	23,345	21,183	44,528	11,688	1,480	13,168

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Local Government Areas and Statistical Divisions—continued

Local Government Area (a)	Census, 30 June 1961		Census, 30 June 1966					
	Popu- lation	Dwell- ings (b) (c)	Population			Dwellings (b)		
			Males	Females	Persons	Occu- pied	Unoc- cupied	Total
CENTRAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICAL DIVISION								
Beverley	1,899	556	922	851	1,773	500	56	556
Brookton	1,319	319	729	612	1,341	341	41	382
Bruce Rock	2,291	577	1,146	996	2,142	535	65	600
Corrigin	2,123	539	1,157	942	2,099	529	33	562
Cuballing	833	244	410	322	732	196	15	211
Cunderdin	2,014	539	1,159	955	2,114	516	30	546
Dowerin	1,392	345	727	573	1,300	315	21	336
Goomalling	1,567	387	829	738	1,567	384	63	447
Kellerberrin	2,420	581	1,224	1,143	2,367	580	67	647
Kondinin	1,278	308	700	562	1,262	292	10	302
Koorda	935	236	642	438	1,080	241	1	242
Kulin	1,261	331	820	573	1,393	362	31	393
Merredin	4,563	1,144	2,941	2,356	5,297	1,207	53	1,260
Mount Marshall	1,091	279	759	546	1,305	329	7	336
Mukinbudin	707	171	499	370	869	222	15	237
Narembene	1,558	404	868	722	1,590	379	25	404
NARROGIN	4,620	1,144	2,396	2,465	4,861	1,242	81	1,323
Narrogin	972	236	592	418	1,010	229	27	256
NORTHAM	7,200	1,828	3,825	3,575	7,400	1,832	65	1,897
Northam	2,863	712	1,486	1,208	2,694	627	64	691
Nungarin	608	177	294	245	539	142	4	146
Pingelly	1,639	424	726	727	1,453	395	39	434
Quairading	1,789	459	893	794	1,687	427	39	466
Tammin	847	228	440	388	828	217	29	246
Toodyay	1,365	394	722	666	1,388	366	48	414
Trayning	935	221	533	447	980	232	232
Wandering	661	144	325	286	611	136	31	167
Westonia	435	116	371	241	612	146	14	160
Wickepin	1,276	349	773	607	1,380	347	27	374
Williams	1,330	340	641	552	1,193	313	23	336
Wyalkatchem	1,383	338	660	592	1,252	324	15	339
York	2,416	710	1,193	1,084	2,277	637	87	724
TOTAL, DIVISION	57,590	14,780	31,402	26,994	58,396	14,540	1,126	15,666
NORTHERN AGRICULTURAL STATISTICAL DIVISION								
Carnamah	959	227	548	448	996	239	3	242
Chapman Valley	1,006	251	442	364	806	206	9	215
Chittering	1,004	299	596	479	1,075	277	19	296
Coorow	787	197	447	361	808	197	13	210
Dalwallinu	2,197	572	1,381	1,044	2,425	578	44	622
Dandaragan	456	149	384	235	619	175	1	176
GERALDTON	10,894	2,672	6,245	5,880	12,125	2,971	236	3,207
Gingin	769	356	541	480	1,021	265	290	555
Greenough	1,784	482	865	729	1,594	424	97	521
Irwin	657	175	423	387	810	212	30	242
Mingenew	985	247	508	410	978	239	20	259
Moora	3,082	766	1,642	1,339	2,981	778	100	878
Morawa	1,317	304	965	753	1,718	394	11	405
Mullewa	1,627	368	1,077	748	1,825	400	19	419
Northampton	1,821	544	1,093	928	2,021	506	123	629
Perenjori	1,272	298	758	553	1,311	321	16	337
Three Springs	972	219	546	492	1,038	246	30	276
Victoria Plains	2,034	358	992	793	1,785	368	24	392
Wongan-Ballidu	2,145	490	1,321	1,012	2,333	549	87	636
TOTAL, DIVISION	35,768	8,974	20,834	17,435	38,269	9,345	1,172	10,517
EASTERN GOLDFIELDS STATISTICAL DIVISION								
BOULDER	5,773	1,684	2,685	2,549	5,234	1,497	150	1,647
Coolgardie	1,043	382	428	334	762	219	45	264
Dundas	2,937	757	1,547	1,235	2,782	649	55	704
Esperance	2,285	843	2,669	2,185	4,854	1,246	136	1,382
KALGOORLIE	9,696	2,809	4,831	4,343	9,174	2,565	233	2,798
Kalgoorlie	7,294	2,123	3,568	3,095	6,663	1,894	180	2,074
Laverton	216	100	118	88	206	54	54
Leonora	1,241	388	375	248	623	194	88	282
Menzies	512	161	275	129	404	150	57	207
Ravensthorpe	587	223	476	306	782	206	94	300
Yilgarn	2,558	800	1,444	1,002	2,446	582	28	610
TOTAL, DIVISION	34,142	10,270	18,416	15,514	33,930	9,256	1,066	10,322

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Local Government Areas and Statistical Divisions—continued

Local Government Area (a)	Census, 30 June 1961		Census, 30 June 1966					
	Popu- lation	Dwell- ings (b) (c)	Population			Dwellings (b)		
			Males	Females	Persons	Occu- pied	Unoc- cupied	Total
CENTRAL STATISTICAL DIVISION								
Cue	466	199	256	174	430	128	38	166
Meekatharra.....	1,071	270	574	437	1,011	249	21	270
Mount Magnet	1,119	319	590	426	1,016	296	48	344
Murchison	320	67	177	106	283	49	49
Sandstone	163	45	83	52	135	43	6	49
Wiluna	316	86	114	105	219	64	10	74
Yalgoo	525	136	246	146	392	97	19	116
TOTAL, DIVISION	3,980	1,122	2,040	1,446	3,486	926	142	1,068
NORTH-WEST STATISTICAL DIVISION								
Ashburton	569	105	421	213	634	114	1	115
Carnarvon	3,212	700	2,570	2,076	4,646	1,060	18	1,078
Exmouth	41	10	1,841	407	2,248	270	270
Shark Bay	387	77	305	168	473	98	11	109
Upper Gascoyne	354	52	246	108	354	82	82
TOTAL, DIVISION	4,563	944	5,383	2,972	8,355	1,624	30	1,654
PILBARA STATISTICAL DIVISION								
Marble Bar	404	97	369	198	567	122	122
Nullagine	171	34	170	41	211	40	3	43
Port Hedland	1,120	236	2,149	859	3,008	461	13	474
Roebourne	568	106	1,443	339	1,782	194	194
Tableland	980	191	1,416	399	1,815	229	22	251
TOTAL, DIVISION	3,243	664	5,547	1,836	7,383	1,046	38	1,084
KIMBERLEY STATISTICAL DIVISION								
Broome	1,462	285	1,184	739	1,923	357	13	370
Halls Creek	436	62	380	197	577	105	105
West Kimberley	2,249	375	1,668	1,027	2,695	567	36	603
Wyndham-East Kimberley	1,521	227	1,652	797	2,449	518	23	541
TOTAL, DIVISION	5,668	949	4,884	2,760	7,644	1,547	72	1,619
MIGRATORY (d)								
Migratory (d)	3,017	n.a.	2,508	530	3,038	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
STATE SUMMARY								
Perth Statistical Division	475,398	136,221	274,872	283,949	558,821	154,984	8,211	163,195
Other Divisions—								
South-West	71,637	22,324	37,460	35,363	72,823	19,703	4,625	24,328
Southern Agricultural	41,023	11,774	23,345	21,183	44,528	11,088	1,480	13,168
Central Agricultural	57,590	14,780	31,402	20,994	58,396	14,540	1,126	15,666
Northern Agricultural	35,768	8,974	20,834	17,435	38,269	9,345	1,172	10,517
Eastern Goldfields	34,142	10,270	18,416	15,514	33,930	9,256	1,066	10,322
Central	3,980	1,122	2,040	1,446	3,486	926	142	1,068
North-West	4,563	944	5,383	2,972	8,355	1,624	30	1,654
Pilbara	3,243	664	5,547	1,836	7,383	1,046	38	1,084
Kimberley	5,668	949	4,884	2,760	7,644	1,547	72	1,619
Total	258,214	71,801	149,311	125,503	274,814	69,075	9,751	79,426
Total, All Divisions	733,612	208,022	424,183	409,452	833,635	224,659	17,962	242,621
Migratory (d)	3,017	n.a.	2,508	530	3,038	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	736,629	208,022	426,691	409,982	836,673	224,659	17,962	242,621

n.a. denotes "not applicable".

(a) The names of Cities and Towns are shown in capital letters; all other local government areas are Shires.
 (b) See note *Dwellings* on page 47.
 (c) Includes unoccupied dwellings.
 (d) See note *Migratory Population* on page 47.

No. 66—Population and Dwellings : Censuses, 1961 and 1966
Metropolitan, Other Urban, Rural, and Migratory (a)

Area	Census 30 June 1961	Census, 30 June 1966					
	Popu- lation	Population			Dwellings (a)		
		Males	Females	Persons	Occupied	Un- occupied	Total
Perth Metropolitan Area	423,930	244,762	255,207	499,969	139,508	4,722	144,230
Other Urban Centres (a)—							
Kalgoorlie-Boulder	21,247	10,358	9,550	19,908	5,630	531	6,161
Bunbury	13,186	7,789	7,670	15,459	4,019	245	4,264
Geraldton	10,894	6,245	5,880	12,125	2,971	236	3,207
Albany	10,526	5,598	5,821	11,419	3,097	329	3,426
Collie	7,547	3,843	3,785	7,628	2,065	132	2,197
Northam	7,200	3,825	3,575	7,400	1,832	65	1,897
Narrogin	4,620	2,396	2,465	4,861	1,242	81	1,323
Busselton	3,495	2,091	2,187	4,278	1,211	134	1,345
Medina-Calista	3,269	2,085	2,047	4,132	966	16	982
Rockingham-Safety Bay	1,726	1,911	1,856	3,767	1,205	1,216	2,421
Merredin	3,029	1,927	1,672	3,599	840	25	865
Katanning	3,360	1,782	1,724	3,506	923	58	981
Armadale	2,565	1,694	1,769	3,463	942	30	972
Manjimup	2,914	1,578	1,608	3,186	857	48	905
Kalamunda-Gooseberry Hill	2,488	1,522	1,546	3,068	910	84	994
Carnarvon	1,809	1,572	1,384	2,956	681	11	692
Mandurah	2,121	1,332	1,398	2,730	1,089	943	2,032
Esperance	1,111	1,414	1,263	2,677	716	116	832
Harvey	2,046	1,048	1,018	2,066	539	31	570
Norseman	1,980	995	868	1,863	463	44	507
Port Hedland (b)	965	1,087	691	1,778	367	7	374
Wagin	1,608	902	848	1,750	432	19	451
Mount Barker	1,532	814	780	1,594	409	14	423
Broome	1,222	963	607	1,570	299	12	311
Bridgetown	1,565	796	773	1,569	445	32	477
Derby (c)	994	760	664	1,424	335	8	343
York	1,524	734	687	1,421	419	35	454
Kellerberrin	1,323	657	686	1,343	324	19	343
Kwinana Industrial (d)	1,104	676	596	1,272	306	85	391
Moora	1,145	625	560	1,185	316	8	324
Wyndham (e)	958	759	397	1,156	252	16	268
Dampier	(e)	1,007	73	1,080	53	53
Wundowie	1,102	555	485	1,040	232	16	248
Waroona	1,005	510	503	1,013	283	12	295
Gnowangerup (f)	740	494	487	981	234	10	244
Donnybrook	1,011	(g)	(g)	(g)	(g)	(g)	(g)
Pemberton	1,201	(h)	(h)	(h)	(h)	(h)	(h)
Total, Other Urban (i)	124,427	72,344	67,923	140,267	36,904	4,668	41,572
Total Urban (i)	548,357	317,106	323,130	640,236	176,412	9,390	185,802
Rural	185,255	107,077	86,322	193,399	48,247	8,572	56,819
Migratory (a)	3,017	2,508	530	3,038	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	736,629	426,691	409,982	836,673	224,659	17,962	242,621

n.a. denotes "not applicable".

(a) See *Explanatory Notes* on page 47. (b) Non-urban in 1961. (c) Classified as urban in 1961, as population inclusive of full-blood Aborigines exceeded 1,000. (d) Excludes Medina-Calista. (e) Non-urban in 1961; population not available. (f) Non-urban in 1961. Classified as urban in 1966, as population inclusive of full-blood Aborigines exceeded 1,000. (g) Non-urban in 1966; population 981, dwellings (including unoccupied) 305. (h) Non-urban in 1966; population 931, dwellings (including unoccupied) 295. (i) Figures for 1961 exclude population shown for Port Hedland and Gnowangerup; see notes (b) and (f).

No. 67—Population and Occupied Dwellings : Statistical Divisions—Censuses, 1911 to 1966

(Figures compiled on the basis of the 1966 boundaries)

Statistical Division (a)	Census Date						
	1911 3 April	1921 4 April	1933 30 June	1947 30 June	1954 30 June	1961 30 June	1966 30 June
POPULATION—PERSONS ('000)							
Perth Statistical Division	116.2	170.2	230.3	303.0	395.0	475.4	558.8
Other Divisions—							
South-West	27.0	34.4	50.4	52.0	68.6	71.6	72.8
Southern Agricultural	15.9	20.5	27.0	24.9	36.1	41.6	44.5
Central Agricultural	31.5	40.5	53.6	43.8	55.9	57.6	58.4
Northern Agricultural	13.4	17.7	26.6	24.7	32.1	35.8	38.3
Eastern Goldfields	55.0	33.7	33.2	37.7	34.6	34.1	33.9
Central	9.6	5.0	7.9	6.4	4.8	4.0	3.5
North-West	2.1	2.1	2.6	2.6	4.2	4.6	8.4
Pilbara	2.5	1.4	1.8	1.7	2.7	3.2	7.4
Kimberley (a)	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.8	3.5	5.7	7.6
Total	158.9	157.3	205.3	196.5	242.5	258.2	274.8
Total, All Divisions (a)	275.1	327.5	435.7	499.5	637.5	733.6	833.6
Migratory (a)	7.0	5.2	3.2	3.0	2.3	3.0	3.0
TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	282.1	332.7	438.9	502.5	639.8	736.6	836.7

POPULATION—PROPORTION OF STATE TOTAL (per cent)							
Perth Statistical Division	41.18	51.16	52.49	60.30	61.75	64.54	66.79
Other Divisions—							
South-West	9.57	10.33	11.49	10.34	10.72	9.72	8.70
Southern Agricultural	5.63	6.16	6.15	4.96	5.65	5.65	5.32
Central Agricultural	11.16	12.16	12.22	8.72	8.74	7.82	6.98
Northern Agricultural	4.75	5.32	6.06	4.91	5.01	4.86	4.58
Eastern Goldfields	19.51	10.13	7.57	7.51	5.41	4.63	4.06
Central	3.39	1.49	1.79	1.27	0.75	0.54	0.42
North-West	0.75	0.62	0.60	0.52	0.66	0.62	1.00
Pilbara	0.87	0.42	0.42	0.33	0.41	0.44	0.88
Kimberley (a)	0.70	0.65	0.48	0.55	0.55	0.77	0.91
Total	56.33	47.28	46.78	39.11	37.90	35.05	32.85
Total, All Divisions (a)	97.51	98.44	99.27	99.41	99.65	99.59	99.64
Migratory (a)	2.49	1.56	0.73	0.59	0.35	0.41	0.36
TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

OCCUPIED DWELLINGS (b)							
Perth Statistical Division	24,358	35,190	53,394	74,478	102,745	129,488	154,984
Other Divisions—							
South-West	7,381	8,319	12,544	13,611	17,336	18,714	19,703
Southern Agricultural	3,903	4,654	6,410	6,522	9,159	10,775	11,688
Central Agricultural	8,115	9,026	12,352	10,872	13,378	14,097	14,540
Northern Agricultural	2,953	3,846	5,963	5,691	7,403	8,338	9,345
Eastern Goldfields	17,058	9,808	9,271	10,614	9,607	9,389	9,256
Central	3,261	1,344	2,247	1,628	1,205	1,015	926
North-West	416	389	526	506	749	922	1,624
Pilbara	856	414	323	322	564	643	1,046
Kimberley	569	558	548	523	677	936	1,547
Total	44,512	38,358	50,184	50,289	60,078	64,829	69,675
TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	68,870	73,548	103,578	124,767	162,823	194,317	224,659

(a) At censuses prior to 1954, the pearling fleet based on Broome was classified to *Migratory* (see note on page 47). The estimated population involved was 2,500 in 1911; 1,500 in 1921; 800 in 1933; and 200 in 1947. From 1954, pearling crews have been included in the population of Broome. (b) See note *Dwellings* on page 47.

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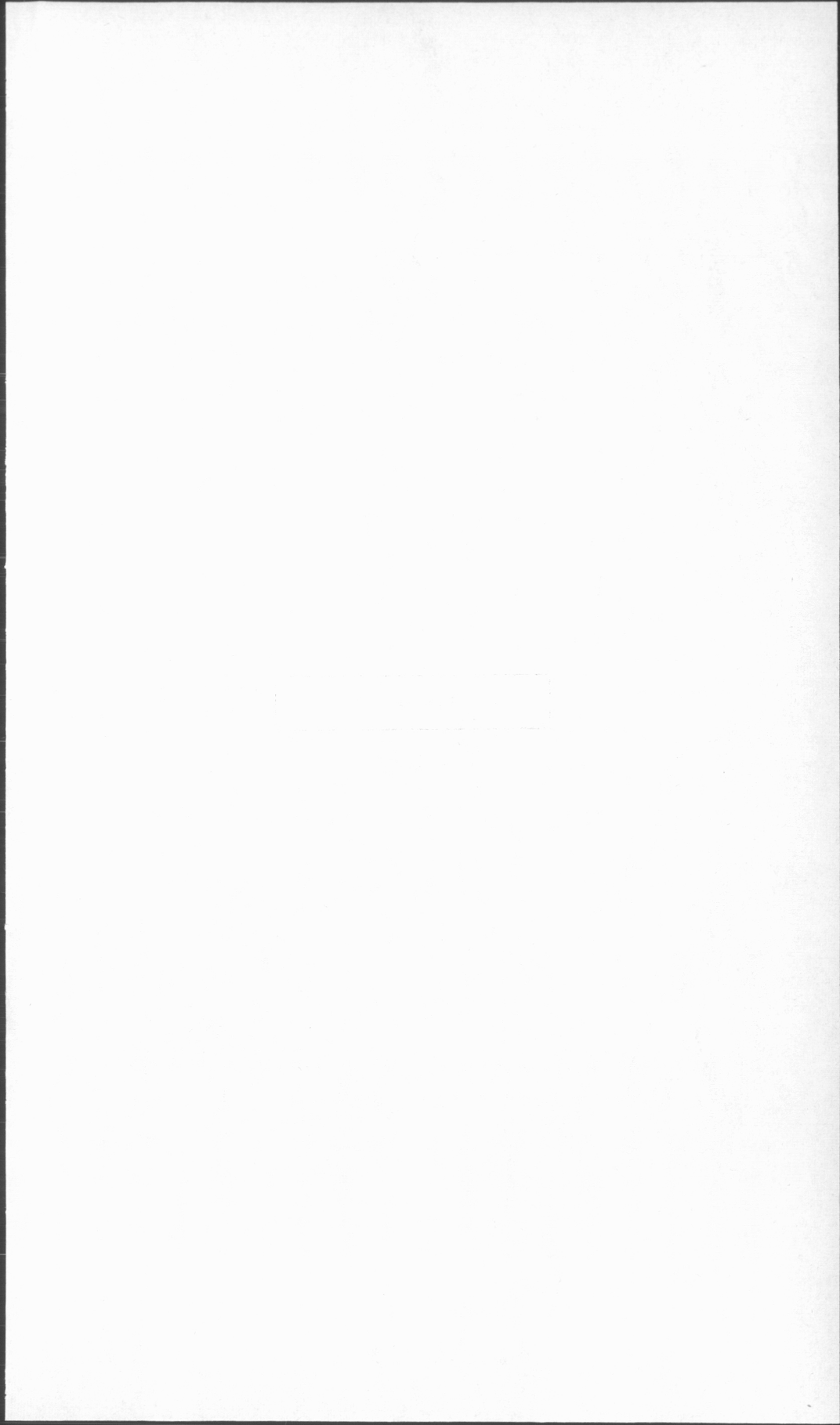
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